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Rain

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THE WEATHER

Rain.

Rain and colder today, fair and colder tomorrow is the forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity made by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature yesterday was 58 and the minimum 33 degrees. The sun rose foggy at 7:08 a. m. and set cloudy at 6:00 p. m. The daily report, furnished by the local weather bureau, follows:

Time	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Vel.	Weather
8 a.m.	30.24	38	80	S. E.	4	Foggy
8 p.m.	30.08	58	41	S.	13	Cloudy

Comparative temperature and precipitation for February 20:

	1906	1905		1906	1905
Maximum	58	42	Mean	46	28
Minimum	33	32	Precipitation	T.	T.
Nor. temp. 31 yrs., 34			Nor. precip. 31 yrs., .10		
Exc. for day		12	Dfcy. for day		.10
Dfcy. since Feb. 1		123	Dfcy. since Feb. 1		1.55
Exc. since Jan. 1		1081	Dfcy. since Jan. 1		2.86

Government Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Forecast:—

Western Pennsylvania—Rain and colder Wednesday; Thursday, colder and fair, except snow near Lake Erie, fresh to brisk west to northwest winds.

West Virginia—Rain Wednesday, Thursday fair, colder in western, rain or snow and colder in eastern portion.

Ohio—Rain and colder Wednesday; Thursday, fair except snow in extreme northeast portion; colder in east and central portions.

Observations taken at 8 p. m.:

Dubuque	28	Cloudy	Cincinnati	58	Cloudy
Peoria	38	Rain	Parkersburg	58	Cloudy
Omaha	50	Clear	Columbus	56	PtCldy
Nashville	68	Cloudy	St. Louis	56	Rain
Louisville	62	Cloudy	Washington	54	Clear
Oklahoma	50	Clear	Chicago	44	Rain
Amarillo	54	Clear	Grand Rapids	50	Rain
Cairo	58	Rain	Davenport	38	Cloudy
Memphis	56	Rain	Grand Haven	40	Rain
Vicksburg	62	Rain	Indianapolis	56	Cloudy
Cheyenne	42	Clear	Des Moines	44	Clear
Lander	40	PtCldy	Spring'd, Ill.	48	Rain
Pueblo	50	Clear	Chattanooga	68	Rain
Santa Fe	44	Clear	Spring'd, Mo.	44	Cloudy
Denver	50	Clear	San Antonio	68	Clear
Salt Lake	32	Cloudy	Shreveport	60	Clear
Medena	60	Cloudy	Little Rock	48	Clear
Valentine	42	Clear	Fort Smith	44	Cloudy
St. Paul	36	PtCldy	Gd. Junction	48	Clear
Marquette	48	Clear	Dodge City	48	Clear
Duluth	30	Cloudy	North Platte	46	Clear
Madison	36	Cloudy	Rapid City	42	Clear
Helena	48	Cloudy	Yellowstone	52	Cloudy
Havre	50	Cloudy	Kansas City	44	Clear
Bismarck	32	Clear	Philadelphia	50	Cloudy
Huron	36	Clear	New York	46	Cloudy
Abilene	58	Clear	Cleveland	54	Cloudy
El Paso	66	Clear	Baltimore	50	Clear
Concordia	48	Clear	Montgomery	56	Rain
Wichita	52	Clear	New Orleans	60	Clear
Buffalo	50	Cloudy	*Los Angeles	52	Clear
Norfolk	54	Clear	*Boston	34	Clear
Atlanta	50	Cloudy			

*Observations taken at 8 a. m.

By General Acclamation.

In the high-class restaurants and hotels, in the home of the able provider, in fact, wherever a good palate serves as a guide, the selection of Moet & Chandon "White Seal," vintage of 1900, is positively manifest, and this delicious product is proclaimed the "champagne of the day." No less than 99,387 cases of Moet & Chandon champagne were brought into the port of New York during 1905, which amount is over 50 per cent greater than was imported by the house second on the list, as compiled in the custom house statistics. At all social gatherings, prominent functions and banquets the feature proper is "White Seal," vinage 1900, and the great increase in its sales is evidence of its continued popularity.

DEMOCRAT TO BE FIRST MAYOR OF THE BIG TOWN

Mr. Jenkinson Concedes the Election of Mr. Guthrie.

MADE A GOOD FIGHT

A. M. Jenkinson called at The Gazette editorial rooms at 2 o'clock this morning and admitted that Mr. Guthrie won the mayoralty fight by not more than 2,000 majority. Mr. Jenkinson said: "I just called to pay my respects and say I am just as good a loser as I would have been a winner. My information is that Mr. Guthrie will have a majority of not more than 2,000. The past six weeks have been educative ones for me. I have met many persons and made many friends. I hope to retain their friendship, for it is valuable. I thank all who voted for me and am sorry for their sake that their efforts were in vain."

At 2:30 o'clock this morning the returns collected and tabulated by the Pittsburgh News Agency embraced all but the Thirteenth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth, Twenty-first, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first, Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth, Thirty-sixth, Thirty-eighth and Fortieth wards, with one precinct missing from the Twenty-third ward, one from the Twenty-sixth, two from the Twentieth, one from the Sixth and one precinct in the Sixth in dispute. The totals of the table at that hour were:

Jenkinson 18,990
Guthrie 20,099

At midnight Chairman Brennen of the Democratic committee claimed a majority for Guthrie of 7,000, with only two wards to hear from. Director Clark of the Charities department claimed over 4,000 for Guthrie.

At 3 a. m. M. G. Leslie, chairman of the Republican city committee, said: "The returns received at the Republican headquarters from 249 districts, with eight districts still to hear from, show that Mr. Guthrie is elected by a majority of about 2,000. The will of the people is supreme. The people of Pittsburgh have signified what they wanted. The Republican party thinks they will appreciate it during the next three years."

Statement from Guthrie.

"I am very well pleased with the results so far as I have been able to get them," said Mr. Guthrie. "My personal expectation was that I should get in the neighborhood of 5,000 majority, but as figures have been slow in coming in I do not know whether my plurality will measure up to my hopes. This election I regard as a victory of the people, a declaration of non-partisanship in city affairs. It is an euphatic expression on the part of the people that they want to govern themselves and will not tolerate bosses. I am satisfied there were no unfair methods employed in any part of the city, and so far as I am informed

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GEORGE W. GUTHRIE

Mr. Guthrie has been elected mayor of the city by a majority of approximately 2,000.

THE FITZ GERALD CASE MAY GO TO IRELAND

Brownsville Girl's Divorce Suit Dismissed by English Court. Mr. Watson's Comment.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

LONDON, Feb. 20.—The application for the divorce of Mrs. Fitz Gerald from Gerald Purcell Fitz Gerald, formerly owner of a ranch near Los Angeles, Cal., and a large land owner in Ireland, has failed, the divorce court today ruling that Mr. Fitzgerald was domiciled in Ireland and that the English court has no jurisdiction.

Mrs. Fitz Gerald, a daughter of John Nicholla, of Brownsville, Pa., testified that she met her husband during a train journey from Chicago to Los Angeles in 1888. Shortly afterward she married Mr. Fitz Gerald. Fitz Gerald is a descendant of Edward Fitz Gerald, the translator of the "quatrains" of Omar Khayyam.

The couple have been separated for some time.

D. T. Watson, the Pittsburgh lawyer, was retained last spring by J. V. Thompson, the Uniontown banker and uncle of Mrs. Fitz Gerald, and gave the case attention while he was abroad last year. Mr. Watson said last night that the decision of the court did not dispose of the case, as it did not touch its merits.

Jurisdiction on account of residence was the only thing passed upon and will probably send the case for trial to Ireland, the domicile of the defendant. Mr. Watson said that future steps have not yet been decided upon.

Coreys Are in Coronado.

CORONADO, CAL., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Mrs. W. E. Corey, with her mother-in-law, Mrs. A. A. Corey, and her husband's sister, Ada Corey, are guests of the Del Coronado where they intend to make a lengthy stay having engaged a large suite of rooms and brought many trunks.

TERRIFIC BATTLE WITH MUTINOUS COSSACKS

Six Hundred Russian Rebels Engaged in Fierce Fight With Troops.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

EKATERINODAR, RUSSIA, Feb. 20.—As this dispatch is filed an engagement is in progress at the village of Geaginskaia between 600 mutinous Kuban Cossacks and the punitive expedition with five machine guns which left here last week to crush the insurgents.

The Cossacks comprised the garrison of Ekaterinodar who, during the uprising of November, joined the revolutionists. When order was restored the Cossacks retired to their native villages in the mountains where they have since held out, refusing to surrender their arms or the colors of the regiment.

The region is remote and inaccessible and the authorities hitherto have been unable to assemble sufficient force to attempt the subjugation of the insurgents who have contemptuously rejected the demands for their surrender. They are well armed and disciplined and heavy losses on both sides are anticipated.

FLINN SUBPOENAED IN POLITICAL SUIT

Man Sued for Libel by Man Who, He Said, Took Bribe for Supporting Ripper Bill.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

POTTSVILLE, PA., Feb. 20.—Charles L. Ferrebee, postmaster of St. Clair, today brought a suit of criminal libel against William Wilhelm of Pottsville. The information is an extract from a speech delivered by Wilhelm January 4, in which he accused Ferrebee and Howard Leib with having received $3,000 each for voting for the Pittsburgh ripper bill, which was passed by the legislature in 1901, when Ferrebee and Leib were representatives from this district.

Wilhelm has had subpoenas issued to a number of witnesses, among whom are Israel W. Durham, County Chairman W. S. Leib and William Flinn of Pittsburgh. All the state will look forward with interest to this trial, as important developments are expected.

KILLS ONE AND HURTS FIVE.

Dynamite Explodes While Workmen Are Sitting Around Fire Eating Their Lunch.

MORGANTOWN, W. VA., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Through an accidental explosion of dynamite at noon today at the plant of the Deckers Creek Stone & Sand Company at Sturgisson, eight miles south of here, Joseph Nicholson was almost instantly killed, Benton McMillan fatally injured and Joseph Shaw, Solomon McKinney, James Moore, J. U. Milling and William Rodgers, were seriously injured. Shaw and McKinney lost their sight.

The men, all Americans, had gathered around a fire to eat dinner. Near the fire were 15 sticks of dynamite, which had been placed there to thaw out. A blast at a nearby limestone quarry was put off and it is thought to have caused the explosion of the dynamite. All the injured were brought to Morgantown on a special train and placed in the local hospital.

Endured 107 Operations.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Mrs. Hattie Cronin, wife of Alexander E. Cronin, died this morning after having submitted to the one-hundred-and-seventh operation. Physicians say her case is one of the strangest on record. Mrs. Cronin was only 28 years old and has been a sufferer from dropsy of the liver for three years. Mrs. Cronin was married five years ago.

CHARLES F. KIRSCHLER

His election as mayor of Allegheny is conceded. He will be the first deputy mayor of Greater Pittsburgh.

WOMAN AND THREE CHILDREN DROWNED

Disappears from Stateroom of Boat, Leaving Note That She Caused the Tragedy.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

FALL RIVER, MASS., Feb. 20.—The open door of a stateroom which had been occupied by a woman and three young children on the trip of the Fall River line steamer Plymouth from New York to this city, early today led to the discovery that Mrs. John Waters of Brooklyn had taken the lives of her three little ones and then her own by throwing them into the water and leaping after them between midnight and half-past three this morning.

The finding of two notes, written by the woman, and addressed to her husband, indicated a tragedy. In one, penciled on the back of an envelope, she begged forgiveness; in the other, written on wrapping paper, she said that she "had worried" until she feared insanity and could not bear to leave the children.

In the "will" written on a piece of wrapping paper, the woman said:

"John M. Waters of 170 Broadway: Dear John—Give Essie my pearl pin and the medallion to Abbie; to Lillie M. D., box containing all my silk and fancy stockings; to Jessie Dyer, small round cut glass dish; to Carrie, all cut glass; to Gladys, my watch; to Maud, little black clock; to Mabel, royal Worcester vase; to Mildred, the rings I now wear, except, of course, my precious wedding ring; to Maime, all dishes; to L. M. D., all underwear and my white aprons. Dear John, don't think that I don't care. Oh, if you only knew."

Persons occupying staterooms nearby heard one of the children crying about midnight. From that time until about half-past three no other disturbance was heard.

The steamboat officials believed that the tragedy occurred when the boat was near Point Judith.

KIRSCHLER WINS IN ALLEGHENY BY A LARGE MAJORITY

Carries 12 of the 15 Wards on the North Side.

LOGAN TAKES THREE

The total vote cast in Allegheny according to the collection and tabulation of the result as made by the Pittsburgh News Agency, shows that Kirschler received 14,899 votes and Logan 9,181, giving Kirschler a lead of 5,718.

Of the 15 wards of Allegheny George B. Logan, Good Government candidate, carried three—the Second, Tenth and Fourteenth. In the Fourteenth the majority was 9 votes and in the Tenth 106 votes. The other 12 wards gave Charles F. Kirschler good majorities and indications at midnight were that Kirschler's plurality would total 7,000 or greater.

At Republican headquarters it was thought the majority might exceed that of Mayor Wyman in 1902, when the city gave the present mayor 8,800 majority. This would give Kirschler 100 majority in each of the 88 district in the city. It was a veritable landslide for the Republican nominee, and in the face of the determined opposition set up by the Logan party managers, exceeded the most sanguine predictions of the Republican leaders.

Vote May Be Over 20,000.

This epitomizes the result of the election in Allegheny. The vote will likely total considerably over 20,000 and may run ahead of the figures in the last mayoralty fight, when 21,000 votes were cast. Surprises came from every section of the city. The Logan party managers claimed the Second ward early in the day by at least 500 majority, but the manner in which these figures dwindled down was an awful blow. The Republican leaders conceded the Fourteenth ward by at least 100 to the Logan party, but this shrank down to 9. The Third ward piled up a majority of 900 for the Republican nominee, despite the efforts of David E. Park, the financial head of the Logan party.

The Sixth ward, where the efforts of Dr. R. H. Gilliford were relied upon by the Logan people to bring the ward in for the Good Government party, the vote was Kirschler, 1,261, Logan, 1,129. Dr. Gilliford lost his own district by seven votes. In the Sixth Robert K. Cochrane carried his district, the Fourth, by a majority of 40, and Thomas H. Harvey carried the Eighth district by 55 votes.

Over Two to One for Kirschler.

In the Seventh ward the vote was Kirschler, 785, and Logan, 313. The Twelfth ward gave Kirschler 500 majority and the Thirteenth a majority of 529 votes. Councilman John Bader of the Thirteenth had promised Logan to carry the ward for him by 500 majority. The Fifteenth ward figures were Kirschler, 506, and Logan, 407. This was looked upon as a Logan stronghold.

A lot of interest was shown in the returns from districts in which prominent political workers reside. Candidate Logan lost his own home district, the Second of the Fifth ward, by a vote of 225 to 88, and Candidate Kirschler carried his district, the Sixth of the Fifth ward, by

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MAYOR'S FIGHT BROUGHT OUT AN ARMY OF VOTERS

Number of Ballots Never Exceeded in a Presidential Contest.

LITTLE BLOOD SHED

The election yesterday brought out the biggest vote ever polled in Pittsburgh. At all the political headquarters it was said that no presidential vote even had exceeded the number of ballots cast yesterday. It was an ideal day for this season of the year, and men who perhaps hardly ever before exercised the right of franchise went to the polls.

Everything tended to make this a banner election. Both candidates had made an energetic campaign. Alexander M. Jenkinson's vigorous personal canvass tending to bring out many hundreds who ordinarily might not have voted, for whether those he met favored him or not, the awakening given them by his energetic personality stirred them to the polls, whether for his weal or woe can only be determined by an analysis of the returns. Then, too, there was a hot contest in nearly every ward in the city. Men running for councils, for school directorships, for ward offices, each and all took a personal interest in the fight and brought out their friends. The system of electing ward candidates is so arranged that not every mayoralty election finds so many offices to be filled. For example, at the next mayoralty election, leaving out of account any changes Greater Pittsburgh legislation may have produced, there will be no councilmanic candidates, while at the controllership election a year earlier new councils will be chosen.

Few Were Wounded.

To the superficial observer it seemed that the election was quiet. At the Republican headquarters, into which, at the county election last fall and the controllership election last winter, scores of men went to show the wounds they had received while protesting against the frauds and intimidation practiced by the police and thugs under their control, there was comparatively little evidence of rough-house tactics, although now and then some one who was bleeding was brought in. But under cover of the law other wholesale abuses were committed.

The redoubtable Roger O'Mara, the pensioned ex-superintendent of detectives and former superintendent of police, was in charge. Under his guiding hand things ran smoothly and scores of men were deprived of the chance of voting. Before the polls opened a program laid out yesterday was put in practice. It began with the raiding of lodging houses. In these lodging houses there is, of course, a floating population, but the great majority of the lodgers are registered voters. Between 6 and 7 o'clock several of the places were raided, the men hustled out of bed and into patrol wagons and hurried to the Central police station.

Kirby Was Busy.

When the hearings began at the Central police station there were 125 prisoners, nearly all of them charged with being suspicious persons, whereas the usual charge is vagrancy. The more serious charge was brought in order to justify refusal to accept bail. For two hours Magistrate Kirby was busy handing out sentences to the inoffensive, comparatively friendless poor men who had been captured. Fines ranged from $5 to $25 and sentences from five days in jail to 30 days in the workhouse.

Forty men were taken from the lodging house known as "Home, Sweet Home." Not all were fined, for some who could be depended to carry out the orders of the police were weeded out and sent back with orders to get their vote in for Guthrie and the administration's councilmanic candidates. Among the prisoners were 36 taken out of the Bethel home in Eighth street by the police on Monday night. From the Shelter Home in Third avenue 44 were taken.

Superintendent of Police Thomas B. Werner was shorn of all power. He had already announced that personally he was for Alexander M. Jenkinson for mayor, but that as police superintendent he would order the police to be fair and impartial, to protect every legal voter, prevent illegal voting and preserve order at the polls. Neither phase of this declaration suited Director Harry Moore, and it was arranged that the orders for the police should come through Assistant Superintendent Edward Kennelly, although Roger O'Mara was the real giver of command. Werner sat in his office all day yesterday, ignored while Kennelly was actively in charge.

Jenkinson Policemen Held.

Seventy-five policemen were on reserve duty all day yesterday at the Central police station, far from their homes. Each one was a Jenkinson voter. They were not expected to be called on for duty and they were kept there until after the polls closed. "Trusty" policemen, that is, men who who could be depended upon to carry out the orders of O'Mara, were stationed at the polls in the downtown wards, but accompanying them were policemen who had declared themselves for Jenkinson and who were thus assigned to duty to keep them away from the polls.

So eager were the police to keep down the vote for Jenkinson that they arrested inoffensive citizens walking on the street. John Dougherty, an employe of the West-

Ingliouse works of East Pittsburgh, in Pittsburgh on an errand, was arrested walking in Penn avenue. He notified his employers and was released on bail. Edward Burns, a resident of the Second ward for 15 years, was arrested in Third avenue and locked up as a suspicious person. Max Fineburg and J. J. Gleason of the First ward were taken in in Penn avenue and locked up. M. G. Leslie secured the release of the last two on bail after much trouble. The men had never been arrested and have lived in the city for years.

Democrats Had Ballots.

The startling discovery was made early in the day that henchmen of the Guthrie supporters were in unlawful possession of official ballots. By mistake one of these was handed to Frank G. Halferty, a Republican school director in the Twenty-first ward, who exposed the scheme. A Democrat in the Twenty-first ward was seen giving two official ballots to a Guthrie worker. These violations of the law were reported to the Republican city chairman, M. G. Leslie, who said that no means would be spared to learn who had been guilty of giving out the official ballots.

The ballots in the Twenty-sixth ward were bungled. The name of David J. McGarey was spelled "McGarvey" in one district, and the polls had to be closed until new ballots had been printed. Scores of workingmen who had intended to vote for Jenkinson were thus deprived of their right.

BRENNEN CLAIMS BIG LEAD FOR MR. GUTHRIE

He Says the Democratic Candidate Will Have a Majority of Over 7,000.

W. J. Brennen, Democratic city chairman, said at midnight: "We win by 7,000. The citizens of Pittsburgh are to be congratulated upon the election of George W. Guthrie, and the victory of the forces representing the independent sentiment of the city. It gives the friends of popular government hope and courage. This victory of the people, outside of the ideal candidate, can be largely ascribed to the generous assistance of Col. J. M. Guffey. When all financial sources were dried up Mr. Guffey came forward and financed the Citizens and Civic parties and made possible this triumph. For the Democratic committee we claim nothing but a duty faithfully discharged, and do not claim the election of Mr. Guthrie as a Democratic, but a non-partisan victory."

From the Citizens party headquarters, which was established in the fire alarm office in the public safety building last night to receive the returns, a statement was issued at midnight claiming a majority of 3,905 for Guthrie with 155 districts out of 257 heard from. These figures were compiled by Capt. E. Y. Breck and Elias John under the supervision of Director James W. Clark.

They were not able, however, to give the total vote received by either candidate, stating that they were unable to do this because they were keeping an account of majorities as they came in from each ward. Director Clark and his assistants would not vouch for the correctness of their figures. Some of them were by districts while other were of wards.

Few returns were received at the public safety building after 11 o'clock and the failure to hear from wards in all sections of the city caused considerable uneasiness in the minds of the city administration men.

Director Moore left for home about 11 o'clock when things looked rosy for Guthrie. The director was in good spirits because his ward, the Twenty-seventh, was reported to have given a majority of over 1,000 for Guthrie.

Director Clark, who is chairman of the Citizens party organization, claimed that his ward, the Twentieth, had been carried for Guthrie by 821. He would express no opinion as to the result of the councilmanic contest in his ward.

At midnight the returns were incomplete from many of the wards which it was feared would be strong for Jenkinson. The biggest surprise of the evening for the Guthrie crowd was furnished by the news from the Thirteenth ward which was brought by Select Councilman William Schempp, who said the ward had gone for Jenkinson by about 400 majority, and that Richard McNally, the Democratic-Citizens candidate for select council, had been defeated by over 500 by Charles C. Schad.

The administration people also expressed surprise over the overwhelming defeat of Select Councilman John Upperman of the Fifteenth ward.

George W. Guthrie, the Democratic-Citizens candidate for mayor, paid a visit to the fire alarm office and did not mix with the crowd. This was early in the evening when everything pointed to his election by a landslide. Murry A. Verner and Director Moore congratulated Mr. Guthrie on his supposed victory, and after talking with them a while the candidate for mayor left the building and went across Sixth avenue to the Civic party headquarters. At that time he declined to make a statement, stating that he would wait for more complete returns.

William H. Stevenson, the victorious candidate for select council in the Fourteenth ward, visited the fire alarm office and was warmly greeted. Later William C. Reitz and W. K. Jennings, also Civic party leaders, entered and asked for information. They brought with them the news that the Republicans were claiming the election, and this produced a damper on the crowd.

Ohio Suit Against Standard Rails.

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Judge William M. Lanning has filed in the United States district court a memoranda in the suit of the administratrix of George Rice of Marietta, O., against the Standard Oil Company, in which he grants the motion of the defendant corporation to strike out the declaration of the plaintiff. Since filing the suit the plaintiff died, and the case is continued in the name of the administratrix, who was directed to file an amended bill.

Wipe Out Bughman's Stock.

GREENSBURG, PA., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—The last two of the 11 valuable horses at the Melrose farm of H. C. Bughman, the Pittsburgh banker, were killed today. The horses all suffered with glanders. The tearing away of the immense barn and the burning of harness and vehicles will begin tomorrow in the hope of completely wiping out all traces of the disease.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, February 20.

New York—Amerika, from Hamburg.
Dover—Neckar, Bremen for New York.
London—Minneapolis, New York.
Sydney—Sierra, San Francisco via Honolulu and Auckland.
Bremen—Rhein, New York.
Dover—Vaderland, New York for Antwerp.

Sailed, February 20.

New York—Texas, Copenhagen; Kaiser Wilhelm II., Bremen.
Liverpool—Saxonia, Boston via Queenstown.
Santa Cruz—Amasis (from Hamburg and Genoa), San Francisco.
Yokohama—Empress of India, Vancouver.

Passed, February 20.

Blaasonsett—Zeeland, from Antwerp for New York; Ryndam, from Rotterdam for New York.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—E. H. Sothern and Julia Marlowe in "Twelfth Night," at 7:45 p. m.
BELASCO—"The Darling of the Gods," 2 and 8 p. m.
GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, headed by Arthur Dunn and Marie Glazier in "The Messenger Boy," 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.
ALVIN—Master Gabriel as "Buster Brown," 2 and 8 p. m.
EMPIRE—Jessie Mae Hall as "The Street Singer," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
BIJOU—Colored organization in "The Smart Set," 2 and 8 p. m.
GAYETY—Gay Masqueraders in burlesque and extravaganza, 2 and 8 p. m.
WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—London Gaiety Girls in musical burlesque, "Why Out West," 2 and 8 p. m.
DUQUESNE GARDEN—Ice skating, with music, afternoon and evening.
CARNEGIE INSTITUTE ART GALLERIES—Permanent collection exhibition, paintings and Nespolitan bronzes, 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.
PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—The Ben Greet players in "As You Like It," 8:15 p. m.

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The Two Men Who Were Defeated

ALEXANDER M. JENKINSON.
The Republicans' Candidate for Mayor in Pittsburgh.

GEORGE B. LOGAN.
The Good Government Forces' Candidate for Mayor in Allegheny.

HOW PITTSBURGH CAST THE MAYORALTY VOTE

Returns as Reported from the Several Election Districts Throughout the City.

The following table shows the mayoralty vote cast in Pittsburgh, at the several voting precincts, for Alexander M. Jenkinson and George B. Guthrie, as far as reported up to the hour of going to press with this edition:

Ward and District.	A. M. Jenkinson, Republican.	George W. Guthrie, Dem.-Cit.	Ward and District.	A. M. Jenkinson, Republican.	George W. Guthrie, Dem.-Cit.
1—1	43	6	19—8	..	..
1—2	151	21	19—9	105	140
1—3	39	5	19—10	123	183
1—4	328	56	19—11	180	240
2—1	78	55	19—12	..	..
2—2	70	22	19—13	..	..
3—1	83	21	19—14	79	146
3—2	93	37	19—15	77	88
4—1	61	134	20—1	145	153
4—2	90	34	20—2	..	..
5—1	28	71	20—3	144	234
5—2	122	84	20—4	..	..
5—3	37	26	20—5	126	200
6—1	168	140	20—6	151	197
6—2	161	135	20—7	83	171
6—3	71	160	20—8	62	126
6—4	Disputed		20—9	70	149
6—5	70	177	20—10	106	205
6—6	65	92	20—11	113	154
6—7	..	..	20—12	132	159
6—8	129	129	20—13	50	105
7—1	147	91	20—14	241	191
7—2	126	113	20—15	158	144
7—3	137	157	21—9	123	182
7—4	160	87	21—10	180	190
8—1	247	175	21—11	147	194
8—2	183	59	21—12	179	258
8—3	225	72	21—13	153	152
8—4	264	25	21—14	133	203
8—5	220	54	21—15	126	139
9—1	34	213	22—1	85	115
9—2	11	159	22—2	57	98
9—3	42	131	22—3	194	224
10—1	22	306	22—4	64	48
10—2	21	143	22—5	41	80
11—1	116	147	22—6	102	194
11—2	160	87	22—7	51	92
11—3	63	32	22—1	115	122
11—4	168	148	23—3	92	176
11—5	152	41	23—4	96	111
11—6	218	150	23—5	51	103
11—7	141	116	23—6	136	168
11—8	129	137	23—7	105	132
11—9	96	49	23—8	71	93
11—10	85	75	23—9	98	95
14—1	157	159	20—10	88	149
14—2	38	165	21—11	91	158
12—2	93	209	21—12	87	58
12—3	83	156	25—13	96	146
12—4	85	87	21—14	77	84
12—5	181	19	24—1	21	74
12—6	73	194	24—3	51	173
13—1	297	264	24—3	166	174
13—2	242	152	24—4	73	166
13—3	214	94	24—5	96	160
13—4	213	128	25—1	148	148
13—5	201	178	25—2	153	163
13—6	167	214	25—3	73	95
13—7	146	81	25—4	104	147
13—8	188	197	25—5	163	173
13—9	197	26	26—1	117	110
13—10	263	23	26—2	162	156
13—11	128	82	26—3	140	118
13—12	119	86	26—5	156	151
13—13	296	288	30—6	198	68
14—14	117	149	27—1	81	141
14—2	112	67	27—2	51	210
14—3	145	109	27—3	68	208
14—4	112	88	27—4	36	255
14—5	185	162	27—5	135	189
14—6	93	136	27—6	200	203
14—7	148	221	27—7	101	129
14—8	56	151	37—1	97	76
14—9	138	192	37—2	197	63
14—10	125	116	27—3	154	199
14—11	129	105	27—4	112	93
14—12	35	195	27—5	51	227
14—13	212	218	27—6	125	29
14—14	53	109	27—7	94	42
14—15	105	122	37—8	59	23
14—16	73	181	28—1	71	97
15—1	128	104	28—2	95	147
15—2	70	142	28—3	89	49
15—3	128	209	28—4	74	98
15—4	70	178	28—5	70	64
16—1	68	9	29—1	181	64
16—2	112	115	29—2	168	74
16—3	155	128	29—3	173	84
16—4	100	104	30—1	104	88
16—5	122	88	30—2	24	30
16—6	139	165	30—3	86	164
16—7	157	128	31—1	179	182
16—8	184	154	31—2	163	178
16—9	80	187	31—3	131	148
16—10	148	141	31—4	158	128
17—1	293	160	31—5	211	117
17—2	138	103	32—1	181	98
17—3	207	141	32—2	136	143
17—4	80	91	32—3	126	71
17—5	135	86	32—4	147	148
17—6	220	171	32—5	170	155
17—7	179	129	32—6	112	148
17—8	133	154	32—7	164	152
17—9	68	88	32—8	101	66
17—10	50	28	32—9	67	56
17—11	82	93	33—1	35	78
18—1	193	153	35—1	170	246
18—2	137	182	36—2	82	237
18—3	119	223	35—3	241	121
18—4	94	94	38—1	86	115
18—5	95	114	38—2	57	101
18—6	176	168	38—3	62	198
18—7	116	147	38—4	74	81
19—1	85	175	38—5	139	119
19—2	163	174	39—1	91	193
19—3	80	125	39—2	89	51
19—4	164	184	39—3	84	74
19—5	127	177	39—4	94	169
19—6	13	15	35—5	91	138
19—7	138	36	41—1	138	36

LONGWORTHS IN FLORIDA.

Bridal Couple Are En-Route to Havana Where Brilliant Affairs Are Arranged for Their Entertainment.

TAMPA, FLA., Feb. 20.—The train bearing Representative and Mrs. Longworth on their bridal trip, reached Tampa this evening. They will board a steamer here for Cuba.

HAVANA, Feb. 20.—The city authorities are arranging an invitation gala grand opera performance at the National theater for next Friday at which it is proposed that Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth shall occupy the president's box as Havana's guests of honor. Very great interest is being taken in the president's annual ball February 22, on account of the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Longworth are expected to be present. They will also be urged to attend the ball of the American club on Washington's birthday.

Gas Companies Are Again Sued.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 20.—A foreclosure suit against the property of the Ohio & Indiana Gas Company and the Ohio & Indiana Consolidated Natural and Illuminating Gas Company was filed by the Central Trust Company of New York in the United States circuit court in this city today. This petition, which follows that filed in Toledo yesterday, alleged default in payment of interest on a balance of $1,940,000 in bonds issued by the Ohio & Indiana Gas Company on December 1, 1898, and later assumed by the consolidated company.

ALLEGHENY'S VOTE AS CAST IN THE DISTRICTS

Returns in Detail from the 88 Voting Precincts on the North Side.

The mayoralty vote, as cast in Allegheny for Charles F. Kirschler and George B. Logan, and as reported up to the hour of going to press with this edition, is shown in the following table, giving the returns by voting precincts:

Ward and District.	Charles F. Kirschler, Rep.-Dem.	George B. Logan, Good Gov't.	Ward and District.	Charles F. Kirschler, Rep.-Dem.-Ind.	George B. Logan, Good Gov't.-Ind.
1—1	166	103	5—5	112	128
1—2	132	15	5—6	171	135
1—3	229	45	5—7	130	110
1—4	158	38	6—1	130	183
1—5	171	89	6—2	162	164
1—6	59	76	6—3	168	161
2—1	261	114	6—4	171	121
2—2	73	122	6—5	198	168
2—3	94	124	6—5	176	117
4—4	82	163	6—7	144	143
4—5	22	163	6—8	156	98
2—5	92	95	7—1	284	76
2—6	148	129	7—2	233	98
2—7	152	140	7—3	106	49
2—8	198	198	7—4	135	102
2—9	148	173	8—1	286	82
2—10	148	112	8—2	107	6
2—11	141	112	9—1	123	35
2—12	286	84	9—2	237	95
2—13	114	185	9—3	170	9
1—14	134	229	10—1	213	151
3—1	143	131	10—2	102	263
3—2	110	98	10—3	193	258
3—3	124	150	10—4	47	43
3—4	80	113	10—5	99	53
3—5	124	91	11—1	319	188
3—6	162	79	11—2	367	130
3—7	226	112	11—3	255	95
3—8	224	112	11—4	265	318
3—9	153	86	11—5	287	127
3—10	200	56	12—1	247	105
3—11	228	74	12—2	133	145
4—1	294	51	12—3	218	50
4—2	215	87	12—4	254	20
4—3	188	28	13—1	221	61
4—4	137	18	13—2	161	62
4—5	146	118	13—3	211	114
4—6	104	67	13—4	295	61
4—7	183	90	14—1	83	55
4—8	124	89	14—2	140	141
4—9	244	29	14—3	177	80
5—1	193	94	15—1	146	112
5—2	223	88	15—2	123	217
5—3	196	101	15—3	237	84
5—4	177	151			

NORTH SIDE TOTALS AS SHOWN BY THE 15 WARDS

Allegheny's Lively Mayoralty Fight as Determined by the Cold Return of Figures.

The following table gives the ward totals of the vote in Allegheny yesterday, as computed up to the hour of going to press:

Wards.	Kirschler, Rep.-Dem.	Logan, Good Gov't.
First	900	360
Second	1,772	1,975
Third	1,827	1,021
Fourth	1,686	513
Fifth	1,204	805
Sixth	1,260	1,125
Seventh	765	323
Eighth	466	38
Ninth	525	74
Tenth	654	175
Eleventh	1,543	329
Twelfth	847	309
Thirteenth	818	303
Fourteenth	249	246
Fifteenth	598	407
Totals	14,899	9,181

WARD TOTALS SHOWING HOW THE RACE WAS RUN

Pittsburgh's Mayoralty Contest as Determined by the City's Grand Sub-Divisions.

The following table shows the totals of the vote cast in the wards of Pittsburgh in yesterday's election of a mayor, as computed up to the hour of going to press:

	Jenkinson, Rep.	Guthrie, Dem.-Cit.
First	590	88
Second	148	78
Third	176	58
Fourth	151	148
Fifth	182	264
Sixth	546	774
Seventh	344	497
Eighth	1,119	315
Ninth	97	543
Tenth	44	449
Eleventh	1,295	1,097
Twelfth	645	740
Thirteenth	2,613	1,887
Fifteenth	1,779	2,283
Fifteenth	459	625
Sixteenth	1,285	1,164
Seventeenth	1,565	1,271
Eighteenth	928	1,081
Nineteenth	1,256	1,423
*Twentieth	1,440	2,010
Twenty-first	1,089	1,368
Twenty-second	537	884
*Twenty-third	1,182	1,214
Twenty-fourth	288	709
Twenty-fifth	641	725
**Twenty-sixth	641	549
Twenty-seventh	678	1,452
Twenty-eighth	390	505
Twenty-ninth	852	262
Thirtieth	214	323
Thirty-first	255	108
Thirty-second	1,137	1,037
Thirty-third	25	78
Thirty-fourth	..	..
Thirty-fifth	443	607
Thirty-sixth	..	..
Thirty-seventh	859	508
Thirty-eighth	403	524
Thirty-ninth	429	621
Fortieth	..	..
Forty-first	338	83
Totals	22,599	24,758

*Fourth district is in dispute, and the returns from the Seventh district is missing.
*Second and Fourth districts are missing.
*Second district is missing.
**Fourth district is missing.
†Eighth, Twelfth and Thirteenth districts are missing.

GOES TO HEAR RETURNS, LEAVES WITH BROKEN LEG

Hugh Gillespie, aged 35, of 100 East Jefferson street, Allegheny, went to Kenyon's hall in Federal street to hear the returns. About midnight a fight started in the hall and Gillespie is said to have been thrown downstairs. His right leg was broken. He was taken to the Allegheny General hospital.

KIRSCHLER IS ELECTED

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152 to 132, showing that each was stronger in the other's home district. Dr. Samuel S. Woodburn, campaign manager for Logan, carried his district, the Fourth of the Second ward, by a vote of 163 to 23. Maj. H. K. Tyler, who retired from the mayoralty race in favor of Logan, lost his district, First of Third ward, by 12 votes, although he was confident he would have a large majority. In the Tenth district of the Second ward, the home of Representative John H. Henderson and the Kimberlin family, Kirschler won by 147 to 118. George L. Cruikshank was the Logan leader here.

Wyman Loses His District.

Mayor Wyman lost his district, the Thirteenth of the Second ward, by 186 to 114. John Bader, Logan leader in the Thirteenth ward, lost his district, the Third, by 211 to 114.

Richard M. Kopp, Republican leader of the Third ward, carried his district, the eleventh, 225 to 74, while Louis Seethaler, the Logan ward leader, lost his, the Ninth, by 158 to 80. Delinquent Tax Collector Harry M. Davidson lost the Ninth of the Second ward by 175 to 93. This is the first time Davidson was ever beaten in this district. He worked against half a dozen ministers and the influence of three churches. Father McCabe, Logan leader in the Tenth ward, carried his district, the Second, by 264 to 104, while Joseph Hilldorfer and George W. Snaman carried their district, the First, against John Huckenberger by 211 to 151. In the First district of the Second ward, John Sauers split even with the opposition, the vote being 95 to 95. F. L. Robbins lives in this district. James McKay, the North Side Democratic leader, carried his district, the Seventh of the Second for Kirschler by 152 to 140.

Headquarters Close Early.

In the Third ward, Robert L. Henderson carried the Second district by 12 votes and Deputy Sheriff Samuel Grenet carried the Third district of the Eleventh by 265 to 95. Logan was confident of carrying this district and the entire Eleventh ward. Grenet was opposed by Councilman Edward G. Lang and the Rev. A. C. Dieffenbach. William Saul, in the Ninth district of the Fourth ward, brought in his usual big majority, 244 to 29. In the Fourth district of the Second ward, the home of Francis J. Torrance, the Logan people claimed a majority of 13 votes, but there were not counted 170 split tickets, which will undoubtedly give a Republican majority.

David E. Park, Logan party leader in the Third ward, carried his district, the Fourth, by 33 votes. City Treasurer Andrew L. Robinson and his brother, Councilman John W. Robinson, who worked so industriously for Logan, lost their home district, the Fifth of the Fourth ward by 146 to 116.

Republican headquarters was crowded all evening until shortly before midnight, when the clerks stopped receiving returns and the place was closed up. Long before this the Logan followers had quit at Kenyon's hall and the Logan headquarters in North Diamond street, where early in the evening a crowd had assembled to hear returns. Before going home Dr. Woodburn said he conceeded the victory to Kirschler by a small margin.

Kirschler Is Not Surprised.

At midnight these statements were made on the result:

Charles F. Kirschler—The result does not surprise me, for I expected to win, but the majority is somewhat larger than we looked for. We had the city pretty thoroughly canvassed prior to yesterday morning and figured on about 3,000 majority. There was no reason why a city, nominally Republican, should in this campaign be led away by any temporary political organization, and the result seems to demonstrate the people were of this opinion.

Former Judge Elliott Rodgers—Allegheny has again showed she is a Republican stronghold. This fact has been made plain before, and this election simply emphasizes the truth. The prediction made several weeks ago by me that Mr. Kirschler would win by not less than 4,000 majority, has been borne out by the returns. The plurality is greater than we hoped for, but the result is not surprising.

George B. Logan—The defeat in this election does not cause me much concern personally, although I worked conscientiously for victory, but I am sorry for the many men who stood by me so nobly throughout the trying weeks of a hard campaign. I did my best and the people chose the man they wanted.

Dr. S. S. Woodburn, Mr. Logan's campaign manager—We have given up the fight. The returns indicate Mr. Kirschler has been elected by a small margin.

REPUBLICAN VICTORY IN BUSY TUBE CITY

W. H. Coleman, Republican, Easily Elected Mayor of McKeesport Over Gross.

W. H. Coleman, the Republican candidate for mayor, won out easily over Michael Gross, the Democratic-Citizens candidate, in McKeesport yesterday. Gross carried his own ward, the Tenth, but received a smaller vote there than Milliken, the Republican candidate for city treasurer. Samuel Milliken was elected city treasurer over William J. Roseborough, the Citizens-Civic candidate, by a good majority.

Coleman's total vote was 3,878; Gross, 1,611. Coleman's majority of 2,267 is the largest ever given a candidate for mayor in McKeesport. He will be the youngest incumbent ever holding the office in that city, being 34 years old. Milliken had 3,833 votes, a majority of 2,396 over Roseborough, with 1,437 votes.

Two bond issues passed by large majorities. One for sewers passed by a vote of 1,842 to 722, and one for a poor farm passed by a vote of 1,439 to 668.

E. M. Trich, Republican, defeated J. W. Mogan, Democrat, for alderman of the Fifth ward.

There were councilmanic fights in the Eleventh and Sixth wards, in the others the Republicans being elected with little trouble. In the Sixth ward George H. Lysle, a Democrat, was elected. Republicans were elected in the Eleventh ward. The councilmen elected are: First ward, Thomas Cavanaugh and H. H. Henzlehausen; Third ward, John Curran and Frank Pratt; Fifth ward, James Quinn, Republican, and George H. Lysle, Democrat; Seventh ward, P. A. Hitcheng and John Waters; Ninth ward, John Baumgartner and Thomas Cassin; Eleventh ward, John Smith and Frederick Parke.

The figures by wards for mayor and treasurer follow:

	For Mayor.		For Treasurer.	
Wards.	Coleman.	Gross.	Milliken.	Roseborough.
First	350	72	326	80
Second	390	106	383	180
Third	540	251	534	189
Fourth	275	68	275	82
Fifth	347	136	318	155
Sixth	445	164	447	171
Seventh	449	303	442	219
Eighth	401	113	378	137
Ninth	221	71	212	71
Tenth	190	270	201	149
Eleventh	281	90	272	71
Totals	3,878	1,611	3,833	1,437

RUMOR OF MISS ANTHONY'S ILLNESS PROVES UNTRUE

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Consternation reigned this afternoon when the rumor became current that Rochester's foremost citizen, Susan B. Anthony, had suffered a stroke of paralysis. The rumor was entirely groundless, being based on a slight indisposition and a premature homecoming from Washington and Baltimore. Miss Anthony was to have been the guest of honor at a reception tonight in New York by Mrs. William M. Ivins, but neuralgia compelled a cancellation.

POLICE ROUGH-HOUSE ALL LOWER WARDS OF THE CITY

Legitimate and Honest Voters Dragged from Their Own Homes and Locked Up to Prevent Them Voting for Mr. Jenkinson.

Under orders from Director Moore and Assistant Superintendent of Police Kennelly the police and front office men "rough-housed" many of the election districts in the downtown wards, arresting men by the wagonload whose only offense was in voting or attempting to vote in their own districts for Mr. Jenkinson for mayor.

Whenever a Democratic watcher pointed out a man at or near a polling place the police hustled him off to Central station, until 115 were registered on the records before evening. In most instances these men were honest citizens, trying to exercise the voting franchise. But the police were there to keep down the legitimate Jenkinson majority in these wards, and used every tactic to intimidate the workers and watchers for the Republican candidates. In some instances the police went into the voting places and dragged out inoffensive men, and in other instances the Republican watchers claim, they even invaded private houses to get boarders who were honest residents of the district, but who were known to be for Mr. Jenkinson.

It was rumored last evening that the prisoners would be released as soon as the polls closed. It was felt, even by the public safety people, that they should not hold these voters in crowded cells over night, and Magistrate Kirby was requested to hold evening hearings and discharge the men against whom nothing could be said except that they were working for Mr. Jenkinson. The public safety building was crowded by friends and relatives of the men, as they expected to see them released shortly after 7 o'clock.

Magistrate Kirby came in from his office, but after consulting with several bureau heads he announced that he knew nothing about these men or the extraordinary character of their arrest, and they would have to remain all night unless they secured the usual forfeits. He said he would hold no hearing during the evening; they would have to take their chances at the regular hearing the same as if they were criminals and not voters who sought to register their choice for mayor.

"I know nothing about these men," said the magistrate. "I will wait until I see the arresting officers and learn what they have done. I can't go to work and hold a hearing and make people think this matter was simply one for political effect. No, sir; they stay here the same as any other persons until I hear the complaints against them."

There was considerable indignation about the station house, and several Republicans, including Attorney L. B. Cook, wanted to argue the matter. Mr. Cook succeeded in getting one of his workers out, but the magistrate would not relent as to the others and they will be heard this morning. "Suspicious person" was the usual charge against them. The men were crowded in the cells like sheep in a box car, some cells containing as many as 10 prisoners. With not sufficient room to move around, they were compelled to remain the night out, getting no rest, as it was impossible for them to lie down and sleep under the conditions. It is probable the magistrate will discharge them all this morning.

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tonight everything was done as it should be at the polling places."

Jenkinson Has a Lead.

The Republican headquarters in Grant street was the scene of an animated gathering last night. Alternately hope chased fear and again when Democratic gains were telephoned in fear gained the upperhand. There was encouragement, however, as the night lengthened, for when the returns began to come in any number Jenkinson got in the lead and maintained it. Shortly before midnight 153 districts out of 257 gave Jenkinson a majority of about 500.

The Republican clans did not gather so early as at the last county election. At 8 p. m., City Chairman M. G. Leslie, Secretary Robert Ostermaier and Thomas G. McClure were there, besides several political workers, who manned the numerous telephones installed in the rooms. At 9 o'clock the crowd had increased, men who carried their districts having arrived by this time.

At that hour the aspect of things looked entirely different to those of three years ago. At that time the Republicans received returns at Old City hall. The Democratic-Citizens majority was more than 8,000, and the returns came in so fast that the fate of the Republican candidate was known at 9:15 p. m. At that time there were just 15 persons in the audience, when Chairman Leslie arose and said: "I concede the election of William B. Hays."

Things Were Different.

At the same hour last night, Chairman Leslie was exceedingly hopeful. The few returns that had come in by that time seemed to him to indicate a close contest, and he made the remark that whichever candidate should be victorious, he would not have a majority of more than 2,000. All through the day Chairman Leslie had maintained, in the face of even Republican prognostications that Guthrie would have 8,000 majority, that the returns would show up differently, and his hopes were certainly verified, even though at midnight Jenkinson's majority on the returns heard from was dwindling and there were still some bad spots to hear from.

The returns from the downtown wards came in first, and they were very encouraging. Citizens-Democratic majorities having been cut away and Republican majorities substituted. The returns from successive districts of the Eighth ward, which eventually gave a majority of more than 800 for Jenkinson, a Republican gain of 1,221 over the Hays-Haymaker election, gave encouragement to the Republicans, which was increased by the handsome majority in the First ward and the scattered returns which came in from the Thirteenth ward, once a Citizens-Democratic stronghold. There were cheers when these returns were called out by Chairman Leslie, and there was no sadness when Guthrie majorities were reported, for in nine out of every 10 districts heard from the Citizens-Democratic majorities of three years ago were greatly reduced. Many districts showed small Guthrie majorities, but wonderful Republican gains over the results of three years ago.

At a Winning Gait.

After the first hour Chairman Leslie said: "If we keep up that gait we'll win." His remark was made with reference to the report from the Fourteenth district of the Twentieth, the district in which Select Councilman E. R. Walters lives. Three years ago that district was lost to the Republicans. This time the figures are 212 for Jenkinson and 181 for Guthrie. It was a majority of 21 for Jenkinson, but it showed a Republican gain of 73. It will take an average gain of 29 to the district to elect Jenkinson.

The encouraging feature, big gains per district, kept up until midnight, for Secretary Ostermaier frequently figured up the returns, which showed the Republican district gains ranged all the way from 25 to 50.

Jenkinson majorities were just as encouraging as the Republican gains, for the first 20 districts heard from gave a Jenkinson vote of 2,033 and a Guthrie vote of 1,783. Later on 42 districts gave Jenkinson a majority of 608, a Republican gain of 50 votes to the district.

Councilman William Schempp came in about 10 o'clock, and although he had no figures he enthused the crowd when he said that Jenkinson had carried the Thirteenth ward by at least 500 and Charles C. Schad had defeated Richard McNally for select council.

**Ovation for Toole.

NEW MAYOR WILL RULE OVER MANY

As Executive of Greater City, He Will Have Larger Responsibilities Than 22 Governors.

SOMETHING ABOUT THE MAN

The first mayor of Greater Pittsburgh was elected yesterday. He is to become ruler over about 700,000 people, a larger population than is contained in 22 of the states and territories of the union. A gigantic task is before this man. Under him will be upwards of 4,000 employes, and he will have supervision of the expenditure of $10,000,000 annually. As the executive of the sixth city of the United States, the mayor of Pittsburgh becomes a notable public official. If he fails to measure up to the standard, critics will be found in every corner of this broad country.

George Wilkins Guthrie, LL. D., will enter on his duties on the first Monday of April. He will begin as the mayor of Pittsburgh. Unless some legal sprag is placed in the machinery set in motion by the act creating a larger municipality, Mayor Guthrie will become the executive of the greater city soon after his induction into office. Even the management of the present city requires much ability, but with the added responsibilities the task becomes gigantic. A man of more than ordinary capacity will be needed at the wheel to steer the ship clear of the rocks.

Mayor Guthrie has long been a student of municipal government. Except as a legal advisor, he has had no actual experience. He has not been an officeholder. In 1896 the Democrats and Municipal league combined to make him mayor of Pittsburgh, but he was defeated at the polls. This time many of the same forces got behind his candidacy and the effort was successful.

Always Lived in Pittsburgh.

Mr. Guthrie's entire life has been spent in Pittsburgh. He was born here on September 5, 1848, and he has grown and developed with the city of his birth. When the mayor-elect was busy with marbles and top, his father, John B. Guthrie, was the chief executive of this city. After more than a half century the son succeeds to the position which has grown a thousandfold in importance and responsibilities.

In 1866, the present mayor-elect was graduated from the Western University of Pennsylvania. Three years later he had finished the course in the law department of Columbia university. In the same year he was admitted to the practice of law at the Allegheny county bar. He has since followed his profession.

Mr. Guthrie has always been prominent in Democratic politics. In 1876 he was associate counsel for the Tilden electors before the Florida returning board. Eight years later he was assistant secretary of the Democratic national convention held in Chicago.

In 1896 Mr. Guthrie declined to follow the leadership of William J. Bryan. He either voted that election for William McKinley or Palmer and Buckner. While the silver craze held the Democracy, little was heard of the Pittsburgher in politics. In 1902 he asked the Democrats of Pennsylvania to honor him with the nomination for governor. The delegates of the Erie convention were for Robert E. Pattison. Second place on the ticket was tendered to Mr. Guthrie and he finally accepted the nomination for lieutenant governor. As a nominee for that office, he toured the state with Mr. Pattison and went to defeat. Two years later Mr. Guthrie was a delegate to the St. Louis national convention and voted for Alton B. Parker for the nomination for president.

Barred from Governorship.

It was the desire of Mr. Guthrie to seek the Democratic nomination for governor this year. His acceptance of the nomination for mayor of Pittsburgh put an end to this ambition. Now as chief executive of the city, it will be impossible for him to lead his party this fall. He takes the ground that as the people of Pittsburgh have called him to perform a public service, it is his duty to obey their command.

While Mr. Guthrie has not been an officeholder, his interest in municipal matters has been far greater than that of the average citizen. He has been active in every movement to secure better government. As a lawyer his services have been tendered to various public officials, and in some of his contests in the courts he has been successful.

Mr. Guthrie is one of the leading figures in the National Municipal league. In this way his views on municipal management have become known throughout the union. In the preparation of most of the reform legislation presented to the Pennsylvania legislature in recent years, the mayor-elect has had an important part. In the legislature just closed he helped to draft the personal registration and primary election bills, which have become laws of the state.

Helped Draft Pittsburgh Act.

The Greater Pittsburgh act is the joint work of David T. Watson and Mr. Guthrie. He is, naturally, familiar with the law governing the creation of the big municipality and to draft it has necessarily caused Mr. Guthrie to make a study of the task which awaits him. He has a great ability for work and, being in supreme command of the machinery of the city, nothing can stand in his way of successfully governing the municipality, unless it be his lack of ability to meet and solve the problems.

Mayor Guthrie says he stands for the merit system and civil service in all of the departments of the city government. He has said in the campaign just closed: "No man is fit to be mayor of this great city who will prostitute the powers belonging to that office to any use or purpose except the advancement of the interests of the whole community. I will have, if called upon to fill that office, no purpose to build up an organization or party or to strengthen any set of men in political power. The powers of the city belong to the whole people of the city; the officers of the city are servants of the people, and they must be faithful to the whole people and obedient to the laws which they are themselves called upon to enforce and to administer."

With expressions like this and many others, Mr. Guthrie is taking charge of the city government. He has been taken at his word that he would run the municipality, not for political purposes, but to the end that better government can be secured. For the next three years he will be on trial.

On the Social Side.

Mr. Guthrie comes of one of the oldest families in the town. He will be the first mayor in many years who has occupied a prominent place in the social life of the city. He is also a man of wealth and will not be dependent on the $10,000 yearly stipend.

While he is not a great orator, he can make a speech and that is more than many of his predecessors could do. When prominent people come to Pittsburgh, there will be a man in the executive chair who will know how to welcome them. In passing into the position of the sixth municipal power in the union, there will probably be more of a social side to the office in the future than there has been in the past. The great prominence of Pittsburgh in the industrial world also brings many visitors of note. Often in the past, the public has had occasion to blush because of the character of the reception tendered. Now with a really "blue-blooded" mayor, the old town is ready to receive anything from the President of the United States down.

Mr. Guthrie has his Pittsburgh home in Woodland road and a summer residence, "The Cedars," at Bar Harbor, Maine. He is a member of the Pittsburgh club, Pittsburgh Golf club and the University club of New York. He is vice president and trustee of the Dollar Savings bank and a member of the board of managers of the Kingsley House association and the Childrens' hospital.

Little Interest in Election

BEAVER, PA., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Scarcely more than the members of the election boards and the candidates voted at the borough election today. The only opposition to the Republican ticket was in a school director fight in one ward. The following were elected: Burgess, Stephan Minor; justice of the peace, Stephen Minor; tax collector, W. D. Talion; auditor, Louis E. Graham; council, C. M. Hughes, George M. Warrick and E. W. Brown; school directors, T. A. Clifton, Elmer Lyons and H. J. Boyde.

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[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ALTOONA, PA., Feb. 20.—The election in this city today was more of a contest between the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and its opponents than between the Republicans and Democrats, and the result was an even break. The Republicans elected three and the Democrats three select councilmen, and the successful common council candidates were also equally divided. The city government will remain in Republican control. There was a close contest between A. V. Dively, Democrat, and Dr. McCarthy, Republican, for school director, the latter winning. The $400,000 municipal loan was carried by a decided majority.

LANCASTER.—At Columbus the entire straight Republican ticket was elected. H. G. Beattie being elected burgess. At Lititz the proposition to borrow $40,000 for water improvements was carried. At Quarryville Mrs. L. Haines Dickson and Mrs. H. W. Heim, Republican nominees for school directors, were defeated.

WAYNESBURG—The returns indicate that D. L. Sayers, Republican, has been elected burgess. N. H. Sutton, Democrat, was elected tax collector. The fight for councils is undecided.

HARRISBURG—The returns indicate the election of Ellis W. Ford, Republican, for city assessor and Charles Treas and George Kautz for supervisors. The Republicans retain control of both branches of councils and the school board.

LANCASTER—Dr. J. P. McCaskey, Republican, was elected mayor over Milton T. Garvin, Fusionist, by a majority of 115. The Republicans control councils.

JOHNSTOWN—David R. Bryan, Republican, defeated Harry S. Bender, Democrat, for city assessor, by a majority of over 500. Republicans retained control of councils.

OIL CITY—The election here was confined to ward offices and school directors and a surprisingly large vote was polled. Interest centered in the adoption of a curfew ordinance, which was submitted to a vote of the citizens by councils. The proposed curfew law was snowed under.

SCRANTON—Returns from 50 of the 54 districts of the city give J. Benjamin Dimmick, Republican, a plurality of 2,230 over John Gibbons, Democrat, for mayor. The Republicans carry the school board and retain control of select and common councils.

GREENSBURG—An enormous vote was cast at the first election in Greater Greensburg. John S. Bell, Republican, won over Samuel A. Clements, Democrat, for chief burgess by 1,114 to 749. James E. Bell, Democrat, defeated David P. Hudson by 919 to 914, for treasurer. Republicans will control council.

MT. PLEASANT—S. M. Crosby, Republican, was elected burgess by a majority of 139 over Dr. N. S. Kuhn, Democrat. A. M. Youthers, Democrat, was elected tax collector. The entire Republican ticket in the three wards was successful.

HOLLIDAYSBURG—S. Gibson Barr, Democrat, defeated John T. Akers, Republican, for burgess by 16 votes. A majority of the councilmen elected are Democrats. Dr. James P. Humes, Republican, and Augustus R. Deal, Democrat, were elected school directors. Samuel O. Fessler was elected tax collector and H. Steel Smith, auditor. Both are Republicans.

NEW BRIGHTON—William Staley, Democrat, was elected burgess over John Edgar, Republican, by a majority of 186. With one exception all the other Republican candidates were elected.

UNIONTOWN—Attorney Robert D. Worman, Democrat, was elected burgess by a majority of 142 over Frank Rutter, Republican. All the other Republican candidates were elected.

YORK—George Rudisill, Republican, was elected a member of the board of city assessors. The Democrats gained one in select council and common council remains as it was.

WILLIAMSPORT—Wm. Neuschafer, Democrat, was elected city assessor by 500 plurality.

FRANKLIN—William J. McConnell, Republican, was elected mayor of Franklin over Dr. J. D. Borland, Prohibitionist, and J. R. Snow, Democrat, by a plurality of about 200. The city council is Republican also.

SHARON—The Republicans elected all candidates except one councilman. The ticket is as follows: Burgess, W. D. Sample; tax collector, E. T. Thomas; council, W. W. Davis, Republican; William Knightwin, Democrat; auditor, Thomas A. Harris.

NEW CASTLE—The following were elected. Select council, J. C. McCurdy, A. R. Shaffer, William B. McKee. Dr. J. W. Wilson; common council, T. C. Elliott, Robert Wallace, L. G. Genkinger, William H. Thomas, John Rae, John W. Triplet.

ALTOONA—The returns indicate that Dr. S. L. McCarthy and Michael Poet, Republican nominees for school director, are elected. The loan bill was defeated. Henry Schmidt was elected to select council over George D. Blair, a Pennsylvania Railroad Company employe. W. C. Myton was elected to select council over W. G. Slayman, a Pennsylvania railroad shop foreman. Councils on joint ballot will continue Republican.

WARREN—Thomas Slater, Republican, was elected mayor over E. H. Beshline, Democrat.

SCOTTDALE—William Ferguson defeated W. N. Porter for burgess by a majority of 53 votes. S. B. McMillan for tax collector had a majority of 130 over J. M. Kennell, Democratic. The entire Republican ticket was elected, excepting Justice of the Peace J. C. Stelner, Democratic, who had a large majority over Jacob Dewalt.

READING—J. P. Kock, Democrat, was elected city assessor over Peter Texter, Republican, by about 375. The Democrats have a majority of six on joint ballot in councils.

POTTSVILLE—S. M. Mortimer, Republican, was elected borough treasurer, and the Republican candidates for school board and council were successful.

WILKES-BARRE—Daniel L. Hart, Democrat, was elected city treasurer by 500 majority over his Republican opponent, Capt. James M. Bowman. John W. Becker, Democrat, was elected city assessor.

BUTLER—James Bell, Republican, was elected burgess; A. W. Davidson, Republican, tax collector; James Dodds, Republican, auditor.

CONNELLSVILLE—A. D. Thornton, Democrat, was elected burgess over J. C. Kurtz, Republican, by a majority of 135; auditors, James B. Studer, W. R. Scott and B. J. Thomas, Democrats, were elected.

BEAVER FALLS—The Republican candidates elected are: Burgess, E. F. Corbus; justice of the peace, James Piper; tax collector, John E. Ewing. Stephen Moltrop, Citizen; J. G. Allen, J. T. Aye, Democrat; M. W. Robb, Democrat, were elected to council.

EASTON—The Democrats carried the Third, Fourth, Sixth, Eighth and Tenth wards and elected enough to tie both branches of councils. I. J. Kutz, Democratic candidate for assessor, is also elected.

JEANNETTE—The election was a landslide for the Republican candidates. The winning ticket is: Burgess, D. E. Carle; tax collector, F. W. Cunningham; auditors, Sergus J. Rock and Clark Smith; council, Edward Gauthan, Joseph Blaze, Jacob Florey, H. M. Shrader, Jacob Beck, Dennis McCadden and E. Meusseur.

MONONGAHELA—R. L. Elwood, Republican candidate for mayor, was elected over Thomas Anderson, Democrat, by a majority of about 275. The other winning candidates were: Treasurer, William Ewing, Sr.; auditors, Henry Kell and Joseph J. Bayne.

WASHINGTON—The election resulted as follows: Burgess, A. C. Marsh, Republican; treasurer, Robert W. Mason, Republican; tax collector, Frank C. Judson, Democrat; justice, Henry Gantz, Independent.

WASHINGTON—The election at West Washington resulted as follows: Burgess, J. R. Wright, Citizens; justice, S. B. Hays, Citizens; council, Fred Kromer and A. E. Whitener, Republicans. At East Washington the Citizens defeated the Republicans for every office, the following ticket being elected: Burgess, J. C. Ewing; council, C. M. Slater and C. V. Harding.

VANDERGRIFT—P. H. Townsend, Democrat, was elected burgess. Two of the three councilmen elected are Democrats and the two school directors and the tax collector are Democrats.

LATROBE—The following ticket was elected: Burgess, C. H. Eisaman, Democrat; tax collector, V. E. Gill, Democrat; auditor, Col. George L. Sewell, Republican; council, R. T. Wilgus, Republican; M. C. Keepers, Republican, and Harry Donnelly, Democrat.

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Members of the senior class at Annapolis are said to be in earnest in their resolution to eliminate hazing. Their new policy, it is declared, can be seen working thus early. The seniors, in a way, set the fashion for the entire school, and their example is being followed by the other students. Tradition is everything at Annapolis, as at West Point. If hazing is once made unfashionable, it will be comparatively easy to maintain the sentiment against it.

Passenger service is to be given over the Pittsburgh, Bessemer & Lake Erie railroad between East Pittsburgh and Butler. This will prove an accommodation to many persons traveling to and from the Pittsburgh district. Heretofore the only passengers carried over the southern division of the road have been special excursion parties to Conneaut Lake from Turtle Creek valley and points east. The new service is but another indication of Pittsburgh growth.

Col. Samuel Moody denies the report that Pennsylvania lines contemplate any retaliatory measures on account of the Ohio 2-cents-a-mile fare law. Col. Moody has always been a man of good judgment. We are prepared to believe he now represents accurately the policy of his companies. Retaliation would be the most foolish thing the Pennsylvania system could try. Conciliation and the best possible service is the part of wisdom and Col. Moody can be depended on to do his part.

Emperor William evidently is losing some of that sensitiveness which occasioned so many prosecutions for lese majeste. A Frenchman having issued a book containing caricatures of the kaiser, German officials barred it from the country. The Frenchman, with sublime effrontery, appealed to the kaiser, who ordered the book to be permitted free circulation in Germany. William has made personal friends of many Americans in the last few years and possibly has caught some of their democratic spirit, together with the sense of humor which forbids a man to take himself too seriously.

Chancellor von Buelow yesterday made an earnest plea, in person, to the German reichstag to enact the favored nation tariff terms for the United States for one year. He argued that Germany needs the friendship of this country. Opposition in the reichstag will be strong, but the chancellor is right. Germany needs friendly intercourse with America far more than America needs Germany's trade. We can produce in this country anything that is "made in Germany," and the converse of the proposition is not true. The Gazette has never been alarmed over the German prohibitive tariff.

It is not surprising to learn the citizens of Chicago will hold mass meetings to discuss the prevalence of the crime of murder and devise means to stimulate the police force to do its duty. While the Chicago police, like their brethren of other cities, have been busy with political matters, crimes of violence have increased at an alarming rate. Since 1899 there have been 759 murders in Chicago, or eight times as many as in London, a city three times as large. Chicago has the highest murder rate of any city in the civilized world. Her people are beginning to realize how the city's bad name will retard her progress in population and prosperity.

John D. Rockefeller is reported to be traveling in Europe in disguise. He has been reported in various other quarters of the globe to be dodging subpoena servers. We do not believe any of these reports. The process servers prefer giving out strange tales to making the necessary exertion to serve their papers. On a previous occasion in an Ohio case the same sort of stories were fed daily to the New York reporters for several weeks and then it transpired Rockefeller had spent the entire time in New York and his Tarrytown country seat. The prosecuting attorney made more capital out of the stories than he could have made out of his witness if he had been summoned.

Germany is standing out so obdurately in the Algeciras conference as to give the impression to neutral powers of deliberate intent to disturb the peace of the world. France has made material concessions and a few days ago amicable adjustment was confidently expected. Germany, however, has carried resistance beyond reasonable limits. Germany certainly does not desire war, but is probably not averse to creating a measure of distrust that will spur her neighbors to extraordinary expenditures for defense and mayhap disturb their finances.

Mayor Guthrie.

George W. Guthrie has been elected by a majority of less than 2,000. The police were used in the most shameless manner for the intimidation of Republican voters, under direction of a man not in official position, but with the consent of the mayor and the director of the department of public safety. This work began the night before, when the police raided two charitable missions, arresting the friendless inmates on pretense they were repeaters, for political effect. During the day they dragged voters from the polls and refused to liberate them on bail.

Mr. Guthrie being elected, it will be interesting to note what treatment he will accord the men who so grossly violated his most sacred pledges. If he is true to his principles no one of them will remain in public office or in a place of power. Despite this interference good Republican gains were made throughout the city except in four wards, where the active influences are well understood. A marked net gain has certainly been made over the vote on county ticket last November.

While we regret the result, and would have been glad to see the Greater Pittsburgh inaugurated under Republican auspices, we believe it is the duty of all good citizens to give the new government a fair chance, and to refrain from factitious opposition until its policy is fully developed. We objected, and still object, to Mr. Guthrie as a partisan. As a man and a citizen we believe him to be upright, honest, and imbued with a high spirit of local patriotism. If in his official career he is dominated by this spirit, and does not allow his partisan backers to swing him, we will accord to him the same earnest and vigorous support we would have given to the man of our choice. In the meantime, Mr. Guthrie, as the chosen of the people, will be entitled to and should receive the confidence and support of all who wish well to our city. Whether that confidence be continued or not will depend on the developments of his administration.

William Flinn.

During the past four years no man in Pittsburgh, or perhaps elsewhere, has been so persistently, continuously, and venomously abused as William Flinn. In times past, Mr. Flinn's conduct has certainly been open to criticism, and The Gazette has not hesitated to deal out such criticism with an unsparing hand. As a political manager, he was arbitrary, dictatorial and impatient of advice. He literally rode rough-shod over others. As a contractor, Mr. Flinn laid some pavements, which, to speak conservatively, did not stand the test of time. These things justified savage criticism, but they did not and do not justify the personal abuse heaped upon this private citizen by insincere politicians and venal newspapers.

William Flinn is not as black as he is painted—not by odds. Everyone of the bad pavements laid by him for the city of Pittsburgh was laid on specifications of Edward M. Bigelow, then, as now, director of the department of public works; every one of those pavements was accepted and approved by Director Bigelow. For whatever may have been wrong in Mr. Flinn's city contracts or in his city work, Director Bigelow was more blameable than the contractor, for he was the agent of the city, sworn to protect the public interest. The contractor agreed to comply with the specifications. If he did so the specifications and consequently the director was to blame. If he did not, the director was derelict in failing to hold him to the terms of his contract.

Today, William Flinn is reviled for his every attempt to participate, as a citizen, in the conduct of public affairs; Edward Manning Bigelow, the unfaithful director, has been as persistently applauded for his further attempts to victimize the public; his brazen monument stands in the place of honor at the entrance to Schenley park. Is there not something in this situation that jars discordantly upon the American sense of fair play? Is there not apparent injustice in the treatment accorded these two men? It is not the purpose of The Gazette to apologize for Senator Flinn or his acts, but it has occurred to us he is not getting that square deal for every man that President Roosevelt admires.

"Boss" Flinn no longer has the favor of Director Bigelow, because he is no longer boss. Mr. Bigelow himself has for some years enjoyed that distinction. Mr. Flinn has been reduced to the ranks as a plain citizen, without title and without official place. He is accumulating years and with them wisdom and we believe a softening heart. Probably political defeat has helped to chasten his spirit.

At any rate he has given evidence on more than one occasion of a sincere desire to do something for the benefit of the public and of the city where he makes his home. The Gazette would ask no man to forget the sins of the past. Remembrance will do no harm. But we submit to the fair-minded people of Pittsburgh that it is unfair to impugn every motive, to discolor every act, to vilify every thought, to rail against every project of a private citizen—to hold him up to ridicule or contempt in cartoon and story. Mr. Flinn is entitled to just so much consideration as he may, by his acts, deserve—and, above all, he is entitled to fair play.

Allegheny Republican.

Allegheny has furnished the surprise of the election. It was expected it would give a majority for Charles F. Kirschler, the Republican candidate, as it gave majorities for all of the Republican candidates in November, but it has exceeded anticipations by giving Mr. Kirschler a majority two or three times as large as those of last fall. Obviously the people of Allegheny had become heartily weary of the non-partisan, nondescript, graft government that has prevailed during the past three years.

George B. Logan, the defeated candidate, is not a politician. He had no indorsement from any regular party. His overwhelming defeat does not reflect any personal unpopularity—it signifies simply the swing of popular sentiment back to responsible party control. Charles F. Kirschler, who has been elected, is a reputable business man and should give the city a very satisfactory administration. He is on a plane far above the present incumbent of the office and every Alleghenian must feel the city is benefited by the result. Every Allegheny Republican has reason to be pleased with and proud of the outcome.

Unwarranted Assault.

Collier's Weekly takes occasion, in its current issue, to make a vicious editorial attack upon Gov. Pennypacker and the project to erect a statue of Col. M. S. Quay in Capitol park, at Harrisburg. The article shows a maximum of animus and ignorance for the space it occupies. It misrepresents the statue as a project of the governor's, says the senate refused to confirm appointment of the commission and ignores the real object—commemoration of the distinguished services of Col. Quay during the war of the rebellion.

It may be charitably assumed the young editor of Collier's is unacquainted with the record of Col. Quay—that he knows nothing of the medal voted by congress for exceptional bravery on the field of battle to the Pennsylvanian who is to be honored by this monument, that he is unaware of the tireless ardor of Gov. Andrew G. Curtin's war secretary. He ought not to be ignorant of these things, and he ought not to attack the memory of a man without knowing his history, but we assume he has been thus indiscreet. We cannot believe that a promoter of the Lincoln Park association can have wilfully made such a vicious and mendacious assault on the fame of as brave a soldier as ever carried a cartridge belt, or as ardent a supporter of the union as was ever commended and congratulated by Abraham Lincoln.

St. Patrick's Nationality.

Allied Irish socities of Providence, R. I., decided yesterday to have no street parade on St. Patrick's day. This decision is the result of an argument over St. Patrick's nationality, a member of the committee of arrangements having declared the saint was born in Scotland. As somebody has said, there are three St. Patricks: One of history, one of legend, and one of controversy. An interesting discussion took place some years ago as to the place of birth of the man who "found no Christians in Ireland, and left no heathen," and regarding the value of whose services in redeeming the Emerald Isle the people of all nations are agreed. Standard encyclopedias declare St. Patrick was born in Scotland, near what is now the city of Glasgow, was captured by pirates and taken to Ireland, whence after some years he escaped to France. There he was educated and received the inspiration to return to Ireland and preach to the people. St. Patrick left an autobiography, but like other great men he was too modest to record many facts about himself, writing principally of his work. Books have been written in an attempt to prove the saint was born in France and in Ireland, but the theory of his Scotch origin is most generally accepted.

Whatever his place of birth, St. Patrick will never be regarded otherwise than as an Irishman. His achievements are among Ireland's most cherished traditions. He was a Celt, a member of the race which delights to do him honor. Our Providence friends have permitted an unimportant consideration to prevent their observance of the day, though the omission may prevent exposure to unfriendly elements.

The government has decided to compel department employes to pay their debts. This will be easier than enforcing the same policy regarding some of our South American neighbors.

Iowa's proposed law to class bees as domestic animals and make their owners liable for their stings does not state how victims are to identify their assailants.

Germany's reply of "non-possumus" to the French proposals at Algeciras confirms the belief that she is delaying matters and "playing possum."

International quarrels as to who shall own the north pole might well be postponed until somebody gets near enough to threaten flag-planting.

Emperor William evinces a disposition to be friendly with his people, but he has not yet reached the point where he wants them to call him "Bill."

And now Japan and England have agreed on a battleship-building program. Any power that attacks this firm will have its hands full.

Members of the czar's cabinet are resigning. It is pleasanter to leave an office by the resignation rather than the assassination route.

Zion City, Ill., which will make gossiping a misdemeanor punishable by fine, will soon be rejoicing in an overflowing treasury.

Nine out of 10 persons in Japan wear a continual smile, says a correspondent. Perhaps this is only since the war with Russia.

Bourke Cockran was never more eloquent than in his denial of matrimonial rumors.

The World's a Stage and We the Players

Gossip of Men and Things on Both Sides of the Gleaming Footlights.

By Charles M. Bregg.

A theatrical news item recently announced that a young actor had written a melodrama in which the Grand canyon of Arizona was to be the central theme. To any one who may have looked over the rim of nature's most wonderful achievement, or lingered in its cool colorful depths, this announcement is sure to bring a sense of eager expectancy. Where everything is so intensely dramatic as to keep the nerves at high tension, and the sense of awe and sublimity drives the bravest man dumb, to venture for material of artificial character is an undertaking that looks at this distance like rashness. If you were never along the edges of the Grand canyon, nor ever plunged, trembling, down that dizzy Bright Angel trail you won't understand the tremendous task this playwright has set himself; if you have been there you won't regard his judgment with much respect. Mentioning above one of the famous paths down the tortuous sides of the canyon reminds me, by the way, that the name of this play is to be "The Romance of Bright Angel Trail."

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When you come to think of it there is some surprise felt that so big and so spectacular a natural wonder as this canyon has never been used as a background or suggestion in play, spectacle or panorama. I do not ever remember to have seen any pictured views of it in any large sense. It has never reached the moving picture machine except in a tentative, far-away-on-the-rim sort of way as an aid to various lecturers, whose word descriptions fall quite as far short of describing the sight as do their pictures. It is a fact that the Grand canyon has never been painted. There is one famous picture of it (the artist's name just now escapes me), but even he admitted that it was worse than inadequate, and nearly all the other pictures have been copies in one way or another of this one.

I had the pleasure of fellowship with a well-known painter from life who was wandering up and down the canyon rims looking for a vantage point from which to get a "perfect view." He never got it, or, rather, the perfection of view was so great that the man with all his artistic skill and training was too small for it.

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To grow a drama in that sort of environment will prove a task that will be worth watching. If there is going to be any attempt to meet the locale of the story with appropriate scenery one can easily see the difficulties under which the producers will stagger. I can imagine Klaw & Erlanger taking an immense whirl at it and giving Ned Wayburn and Ben Teal carte blanche to "put the blame thing into four acts and a grand march." I can also imagine David Belasco giving us an appalling idea of the mystery of the gash in two prologue and one epilogue tableaus, but to put a lot of players against the stage canyon and have them chasing up and down the precipitous trails and climbing down into the depths of blue and purple darkness, is a task that would stump the best stage carpenters and scene shifters that ever lived. The mere mechanical impossibilities that lie within the work of dramatizing the Grand canyon should affright the bravest man. Walter Burridge might well refuse a task that the most gifted geniuses of the brush have turned away from with a sob of bitter disappointment.

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And yet how rich in dramatic material might the canyon be if one could only reduce it to proper setting. There is a tragedy in its silent, slumbrous depths; there is symphony in its voiceless music and within and around it are echoes of a past so rich in history and in wonder-working that the pen might never exhaust all the story to be told. The name of this proposed drama suggests a romance in the midst of terrors that make the bravest tremble. Much of this rambling gossip may seem Greek to those who have never been down the Bright Angel trail or looked over the canyon's rim from Rowes Point or the Tovar balcony, but if any of my readers (and I am sure many of them have) ever went down Bright Angel trail, they will recognize the difficulty a romance would have finding bud and blossom on that treacherous pathway.

Perhaps the heroine's mule balks rounding Cape Horn, or refuses to take the "cork screw" path with its seeming certain death, and the hero lifts himself over the head of his mule by his boot straps and drags the lady out of the jaws of death.

I suggest this method of rescue, in case a rescue scene is used, for the reason that it would be about the only one possible, unless both characters are riding the same mule, a thing that any good, self-respecting guide would sternly forbid. On the trail it is a vivid illustration all the time of that old classic proverb, "Every man for himself and the devil take the hindmost one," only I think on Bright Angel trail the hindmost one stands the best chance of escaping his Satanic majesty. The explorers are strung out in a line, each one engineering a large and sure-footed mule who is supposed to know what he is about. Usually he does, but sometimes he shows an indifference to what he is doing when on the edge of a 500-foot precipice that makes one wonder whether mules, like some people, cannot be most too sure that they know it all. I remember the woes of a bright, young Chicago girl on Bright Angel trail that would have driven me to writing a melodrama had I been the least qualified for the work, as it was it only drove me to something less literary and which every man can do if he have the price.

This particular young lady was quite sure in the morning that she was "just dying to ride one of those beautiful mules with the soulful eyes." She got her wish. Two hours later that beautiful mule had balked dead still on a narrow ledge, three feet wide, located somewhere about 5,000 feet up on the side of the canyon. His "soulful eyes" were leisurely scanning the blue distances that stretched away beneath him, while the aforesaid Chicago girl was saying her prayers, counting beads, repeating the shorter catechism and yelling bloody murder all at the same time.

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Does not the experience indicate how difficult it might be to weave a romance into circumstances that lie so close to the tragic on one side and the ludicrous on the other. If one could only eliminate the stupendousness of the locale and reduce the subject matter of scenery and surroundings to understandable form however, what splendid inspiration to the imagination lies locked within the glories of this supreme natural wonder. Its very mysteries provoke day dreaming; its colors awaken a kind of artistic ecstasy even on the part of the most utilitarian people.

People who stop long by the side of the canyon fall naturally into poetic mood; the choice of words to express ideas begets the incubation of a new vocabulary, and the beholder feels the mere commonplaces of life dwindling into insignificance. Such a condition of mind is provocative of romantic and poetic authorship. To dream in the golden sunshine of the Arizona table lands with this noble handiwork of nature lying there at your feet is to think great thoughts and have visions let down out of the azure sky of "a new heaven and a new earth." If this dramatist of "Bright Angel Trail" has lived up to his opportunities I can well imagine a play of vast suggestion, both natural and heroic.

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Incidentally it may be remarked that the west seems only just now to have been largely used as a hunting ground for material for plays. I think David Belasco is responsible for this revival of interest in western material for playmaking. His "Girl of the Golden West" seems to have driven the playwrights daffy on the subject and I have no doubt we will have the west ad nauseum by the pot boilers, but this in no wise destroys the fact that the section is rich in real play material. Out of it came "The Danites," "M'Liss" and "Arizona." The soil is largely virgin and every tree and rock has its own tale to tell of heroic self sacrifice, of romance and of tragic endeavor. When the real play writers come back again to their own I can imagine the pink tea dramas of Clyde Fitch passing into oblivion or being remembered only as we remember an uneasy and unnatural dream after we have passed into the brilliant pathways of the broad, noon-tide sun.

Quiet Observations on Ways of the World

What Do You Know About Automobile Spinning?—New York a Leader in It.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

We have automobiles in Pittsburgh by the dozen while New York has them by the thousands. They are of all kinds from tiny runabouts to monster affairs that will carry a whole family inside and the household goods outside.

And the agents are selling machines by the thousand, which means that tens of thousands of people are using them. All the main streets are alive with them, particularly Fifth avenue, on which there are no trolley cars or other public conveyances, save the stage coach. From noon until midnight this fine avenue is a seething mass of wheeled vehicles, horseless and otherwise.

Broadway, seen from the elevated, appears to be a moving mass of vehicles mixed up with hurrying, scurrying human beings through which the trolley slowly plows its way without regard to schedule or speed, going as best it can.

And when you come to think of the crowds, jams, cross-town cars, and other impediments, you can easily realize that it would be useless to attempt to run by schedule. And it is slow going, too, but for short distances it is better, a little better, than walking.

It is this pokiness and jogginess that sends so many to the subway and elevated roads nearby.

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Just think of going out for a spin in a motor car and reeling off a 100 miles without stopping, save for a snack, or to stretch your legs for a few minutes.

Such spins are not uncommon, quite the thing, in fact. From four to five hours are usually consumed in such spins, but they would be made in half that time were it not for rules and regulations made and provided to regulate speed and save life within the city limits.

But rules and regulations wouldn't do the business were it not for the presence of mounted policemen at nearly every corner, and posted like mile posts stationed along the various roads leading out from the city.

While within sight of these the machine is as innocent as a lamb, going gently and leisurely. But as soon as the minion of the law is well out of sight the machine becomes fractious and fretful until finally it takes the bit into teeth, as it were, and does a mile-a-minute stunt until a lone horseman is sighted ahead, and again it settles down to an easy gait.

The lone horseman, however, isn't always ahead, but sometimes on the side, behind a clump of brush, or under cover of a short bend in the road. He won't shoot if you don't stop when he gives the command, and if you have a good machine you can easily get away from him, but there is your number in plain, large figures dangling behind, and he would just about as soon jot it down as to escort you to the 'squire's office, and allow a gentlemanly officer to call upon you after you have finished your spin and returned home.

The 'squire will do the rest.

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The Stamford run is a favorite among those trying out their machines. It is 45 miles from Central park, through the Bronx, across Harlem bridge, and over the Connecticut hills to the ancient and honorable town of Stamford, a seaport town on the sound, as the old time geography put it.

As far as New Rochelle the road is good, being a popular drive for New Yorkers, but beyond that it is a fairly good pike, with many ups and downs, short turns, and some stiff pulls. It is because of the diversity of going that it is selected for testing machines.

Sundays are favorite days for trying out machines by those who are too busy, or think they are, to try them on other days.

If you are thinking of buying a machine the agent of any company will give you a demonstration run to convince you that his car is the one for you, and to that end he may send an expert chauffeur (shofer), one who can do all sorts of stunts, some of which are of the hair-raising type.

And if the wind should be off the sound, and the temperature below freezing, you may think yourself in Norway, or Greenland, for these sound winds are laden with a briny moisture that burns, and chills, and stings.

But if the day is mild you escape the cold, but the chances are that the road will be more or less sloppy. Then it is that the machine is liable to skid, which act always precedes the over-act, or upset. A "skidoo" on a muddy hill-road will more than likely cause you to regret not having taken out a goodly accident policy before starting.

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Good Stories of Pith and Moment.

Chat and Anecdote of Entertaining and Instructive Character.

CULLED FROM VARIOUS SOURCES.

One of the First Water.

A practical politician of the first water came to light in a small Indiana town not long ago. In this town there is an officer, designated as inspector of streets and roadways, who receives the munificent salary of $250 a year. As the opposing political parties are very nearly balanced in this town, there is keen opposition so that when this office became vacant and the authorities ordered an election to fill it, there was a lively campaign for this small plum, no other elections being near. The Democratic candidate was a rather shrewd old fellow by the name of Ezekiel Hicks, and it looked as though he would be successful, as a neat little sum had been subscribed and turned over to him as a campaign fund. To the astonishment of everybody, however, he was defeated.

"I can't account for it," one of the Democratic leaders said gloomily. "With that money we should have won. How did you lay it out, Ezekiel?"

"Hum," Ezekiel said slowly, pulling his whisker. "Yer see that office only pays $250 a year salary, an' I didn't see no sense in payin' out $300 to get the office so I jest bought me a little truck farm instead."—Cleveland Leader.

Lost Tooth; Saved Job.

One Wichita man has sworn off, and sworn off with a vengeance. And no one will be surprised on hearing his story. "Tanking up" one day last week, he "butted into" his employer on East Douglass avenue. "Well, now, what's the matter with you?" asked the employer, as the "half shot" workman brought his hands to his right cheek with a ludicrously agonizing expression on his face. "Got an awful toothache," answered the laborer, who, like most intoxicated ones, had but one idea, that of disguising his condition. The employer looked at him critically for a moment. What he mentally decided the employe doesn't know till this day but he will never forget the terribleness of his next words: "Well, come with me and we will have it pulled out." John Barleycorn had left enough pride in him to despise the entrapped liar and he immediately decided to be "game" and "stay" until the distracting finish. Without question, the dentist took his forceps and being directed to one of the molars as the one that ached, he swung on, then around, then up and down, and finally with a swing of his body which all but landed him on the floor extracted the big, large, sound tooth. When the employe quit bleeding, about three hours after, he took the piedre.—Wichita Eagle.

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Two Kinds of Space.

Miss Frances Wilson, who recently became the wife of Charles Huard, a French artist, under circumstances romantic, was in her childhood a close friend of Eugene Field.

The poet-journalist was very fond of children. To this fondness innumerable children's poems in his daily "Sharps and Flats" columns bore witness. And, in his frequent visits to the Wilson residence no one welcomed him more warmly than the little girl.

She said of him the other day:

"I can still see his tall, gaunt figure and I can still hear his musical and deep voice uttering jests gravely.

"He was always jesting. One night in May he was walking with a young lady and me. She looked up at the sky spangled with stars and said to Mr. Field:

"'Space! Space How wonderful it is! Does it not overwhelm you?'

"'Indeed it does,' said Mr. Field in a deep, awed tone. 'I have a column of it to fill every day.'"—Los Angeles Times.

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In the Fever Belt.

Opie Reid had luncheon with the President a few days ago and told him this story about a recent horseback trip he took through Arkansas. Reid rode up in front of a shanty and found a native sitting on the end of a log in a broiling hot sun.

"Why don't you move over in the shade?"

"Tain't time yit; fever ain't come on," answered the cracker.

"What's the matter?"

"Chills."

"How long have you been living here?"

"'Bout thirty years."

"How long have you had chills?"

"'Bout thirty years."

"Why in the thunder don't you move if you have chills that bad?"

"And catch some other disease I don't know nothin' 'bout? Not much, mister. When you've got chills you know what they are. I want to tell you something, mister. I've had chills so long and shook so much I ain't fit for nuthin' 'cept to sift meal and shake down persimmons."—Washington Post.

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How He Had Them Beat.

The head day porter and the head night porter of a hotel became involved in a discussion on ages. The head night porter confessed to thirty-eight.

"H-m! Say, I've got you beat ten years," declared the head day.

"You mean to tell me you're only twenty-eight?" demanded the head night.

"I should say not. I'se just forty-eight," explained the head day, with an expression of withering disdain.

"Then you ain't got me beat no ten years. I'se got you beat just ten years. Say, I got ten years comin' that you won't see again."

"Look here, man," declared the head day, "you ain't got no sense. I'se sure of them ten years, 'cause I'se seen 'em, an' been through 'em. You ain't sure of yours; you might die tomorrow."—San Francisco Chronicle.

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A Fair Exchange.

Hon. Joseph Choate tells of a meeting at a London club of a bishop and Lord Rosebery. During the course of their conversation the reverend gentleman observed to his lordship:

"I've an invitation to dine this evening. What a nuisance it is—a long dinner, I mean. There are two things I absolutely dread—a long dinner and a long sermon. I contend that, however good they may be, neither the dinner nor the sermon should take more than twenty minutes at the most."

Rosebery smiled. "It seems to me," he said, "that the matter might be nicely arranged by knocking ten minutes off the sermon and putting it on the dinner."—Harper's Weekly.

CASUAL GLIMPSES AROUND THE CITY

Notes About People and Events in Which Pittsburghers Are Interested.

Three Japanese naval officers who were concerned in the hottest sea battles of the Russo-Japanese war are spending a couple of days in Pittsburgh visiting the steel, electrical and other industries. They will leave this evening for Washington and will later go to New York, whence they will sail for London. They are Capt. S. Tochinai and Commodores K. Abo and H. Kaneda. They are registered at the Henry from Tokio.

Commodore Kaneda said that their visit here is simply a part of the trip to London. They arrived in America a few days ago, stopping only at Chicago before reaching Pittsburgh. Asked about the reported Chinese uprising against foreigners, he said:

"I do not know just how the conditions are in China, of course, but it is my impression that the situation has been greatly exaggerated. I do not believe that there will be such an outbreak, for it would be disastrous in many ways."

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Pittsburghers Who Are Traveling.

Capt. Thomas Kerr left last night for a sojourn in California.

Scott A. White, the Pittsburgh contractor, left last evening for North Carolina on a business and pleasure trip. He will look up building contracts while in the south.

Harry Davis, manager of the Grand Opera house, left last night for New York.

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Among the Visitors.

Col. Joseph Bensinger, proprietor of the Commercial hotel at Dubois and secretary of the Pennsylvania State Hotel association, is here conferring with Proprietor E. E. Bonneville of the Henry, who is president of the association.

Col. W. T. Mechling of the Fourteenth regiment, N. G. P., is registered at the Seventh Avenue from Butler.

The Rev. Dr. C. E. Snavely, a Protestant Episcopal minister of Blairsville, spent yesterday in Pittsburgh. He stayed at the Seventh Avenue.

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After Contract from Allegheny.

Octavous Jones of Chicago, manager of the western branch of the Rensselaer Manufacturing Company of Troy, N. Y., maker of valves and fire hydrants, is registered at the Seventh Avenue. Mr. Jones' company has furnished this class of supplies for the city of Allegheny and several other cities in the Pittsburgh district for several years. He is here to bid on the supplies for Allegheny today. The bids are to be submitted for all supplies for the city of Allegheny for the current year at 9:15 o'clock this morning.

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The Fly Wheel of Society.

"The Fly Wheel of Society, or Secret Forces in Character Building," will be the subject of a lecture by the Rev. John A. Jayne at the Allegheny Carnegie Music hall, for the benefit of the First Methodist Episcopal church, West View, Friday evening. The lecture will be illustrated by 125 original cartoons and scientific experiments.

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Arrivals at the Hotels.

Anderson—A. M. Carter, Cleveland; W. R. Solomon, Norristown.

Griswold—G. W. Church, Waynesburg; Charles Barton, Dayton; P. S. Miller, Zanesville.

Duquesne—G. H. Greasley, Blairsville; E. S. Henry, Kittanning; E. H. Brady, Harrisburg.

Henry—R. Burgher, Beaver; W. I. Bates, Meadville; L. M. Uber, New Castle; J. E. Carnahan, Canton.

Lincoln—M. E. Coulter, Johnstown; J. M. Haskill, Sistersville; C. A. Ferguson, Shinnston.

Seventh Avenue—F. C. Affleck and W. C. Headley, Ellsworth; O. H. McAnulty, Windber; J. G. Wingert, Punxsutawney; R. M. Wilson, Indiana; T. J. Moser, Kane; S. W. Hamilton, Vandergrift.

Fort Pitt—Robert Campbell, Wheeling; J. M. Miller, Franklin; W. H. Zink, Steubenville; J. G. Stage, Greenville; E. E. Tait, Bradford.

Newell—T. F. Callon, Cresson; E. J. Brown, Youngstown; G. D. Bollard, Cleveland.

Colonial—J. C. Brown, Aurora; R. B. Hopkins, Columbus; G. L. Reynolds, Rices Landing.

Boyer—P. S. Carter, Alliance; A. B. Simons, Punxsutawney; J. S. Swiddle, Rochester; A. C. Cameron, Johnstown.

Monongahela—C. A. Underwood, Marietta; A. P. Dickey, Tyrone; M. Hurst, Scottdale; J. S. Townsend, Bradford; W. G. Bond, Parkersburg.

Schenley—George Morton, Chicago; Linx John, Punxsutawney; J. E. Wells, New York; Edward Joseph, Cleveland.

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Pittsburghers in New York.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria—J. G. Fletcher, R. J. McKay, Miss L. B. Elkins, Mrs. H. C. Fownes, Miss M. Fownes.

Fifth Avenue—F. G. Pierce, J. W. Renner, Mrs. Renner, Miss M. R. Curry.

Herald Square—L. H. Martell, L. H. Reiler, J. M. Clarke.

Navarre—F. B. Thompson.

Marlborough—A. J. Lawrence.

Grand Union—F. H. Brigman, B. G. Kirkwood.

Park Avenue—H. Oertel.

Westminster—G. P. Early, Mrs. Early.

Union Square—J. I. Smith.

Broadway Central—J. H. Neuhart.

Manhattan—T. L. Shields, Mrs. Shields, Miss J. L. Roberts, W. Bradshaw, J. J. Shuman.

Astor House—O. Heeren, R. B. Heeren.

Pickwick—G. H. Shaw.

Empire—Mrs. W. B. Rodgers, J. P. Knable.

Savoy—J. Bibro.

Seville—R. C. Stiefel, J. H. Nicholson.

St. Denis—G. W. John.

Continental—Mrs. C. Schnurman.

Albemarle—J. S. Atterbury.

Hoffman—J. C. Solomon.

Victoria—Mrs. J. V. Templin, H. F. Davis.

Earlington—J. K. McBride.

Breslin—C. A. O'Donnell, J. W. Patterson, A. C. Schiller, A. E. Sanford, W. J. Chase.

Holland—H. O'Brien, J. W. Downer, I. W. Frank.

Welcott—A. Lang, W. C. Fownes, Mrs. Fownes, Miss Fownes.

Grand—H. C. Milholland.

Imperial—C. P. Thomas, H. L. Patrick, S. T. McElfish, W. M. Carleton, C. A. Simons, W. H. Foster, L. Treat.

Governor's New Job.

Gov. Pennypacker is not satisfied with having given to Pennsylvania legislation which will make her the best governed commonwealth of the union. He has been made the presiding officer of the conference to consider uniform legislation governing marriage and divorce, and it is positively certain that he will be instrumental in moulding a law which will have a national import.—Greensburg Tribune.

The Crisis in China.

A misapprehension appears to exist as to the inspiration of this threatened trouble. It is generally regarded as a recrudescence of the old Boxer outbreak, another popular and indiscriminate uprising against foreigners as a protest against the advance of modern civilization. This is true in a measure, but the moving spirit behind this violently expressed hatred of the foreigner, his works and his ways, is the element of new thought, new power and new government in the Chinese empire. It is the inchoate strength of a new China wrought up to desperation by centuries of repression, working by devious, sanguinary and revolutionary ways, to the evolution of a higher civilization.—Philadelphia Press.

Pennsylvania Excels.

The public schools of Pennsylvania are credited with having the most successful system of school savings of any in the country, there being some school banks in this state that have as high as 28,000 depositors, all of them successfully operated, and thus far there has been no scandal whatever attached to the management. The total amount of school scholars' savings on deposit in these institutions in Pennsylvania is said to run over $7,000,000, while in New York over $1,000,000 is the amount on deposit.—Reading Times.

The House's Wedding Gift.

A wedding present that will have deep personal significance and real public importance is said to be in store for Representative Longworth. It will take the form of the passage by the house of his bill providing for the purchase of property for American embassies and legations in foreign capitals. Rarely is it possible to pay such a personal compliment and at the same time render such a noteworthy public service. It will be a wedding present worth having.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Practical Demonstration.

A legislature animated by the desire to transact the business of the state as speedily as thoroughness will permit can accomplish remarkable results in a comparatively brief time. This has been demonstrated by the legislature of Pennsylvania, which was convened in extra session to pass important reform bills.—Baltimore Sun.

Language of Highly Educated.

"The cards are stacked and I am not allowed to cut," says Gen. Grosvenor, in speaking of the political conditions in his district. The general cannot resist the temptation to speak occasionally in language that only the highly educated can understand.—Washington Post.

Answers to Correspondents.

Subscriber, Beverly, W. Va.—Caleb Powers is still in prison at Frankfort, Ky., waiting for the decision from the United States supreme court.

Thomas A. Bair, Blairsville—We have no reason to doubt the reliability of the company.

Have Good Stock of 'Em.

An English lord has married an American "Florodora" girl, but his peers need not fear that the demand will exceed the supply. There "are many more at home like her."—New York Herald.

THREE ARE HURT IN BAD RUNAWAY

One of Logan's Automobiles Blamed for Frightening Horses Near Voting Place.

FRIENDS DENY ASSERTION

The closing hours of the hottest mayoralty campaign in the history of Allegheny were made doubly exciting for the large crowd around the polls in the Seventh precinct of the Second ward, yesterday afternoon, by a runaway which resulted in injury to three people, and the death of a valuable horse.

The runaway occurred about 4 o'clock, in Federal street, near East Jefferson street. According to Acting Superintendent John Glenn, it was caused by the horses taking fright at an automobile occupied by the Rev. Dr. Henry D. Lindsay, City Solicitor Stephen G. Porter and several other supporters of George B. Logan. The members of the party disclaim any responsibility for the accident, and say the horses took fright when someone threw a bucket of water toward them from the sidewalk.

THE INJURED:

MRS. WILLIAM DATT, aged 45, of Gibsonia; mouth and head cut, and badly bruised about the body. Picked up unconscious and removed to Allegheny General hospital.

JOHN HUNTER, aged 40, resides rear of 1240 Rebecca street, Allegheny, driver for Allegheny Heating Company; cut about head, face and body, and left ankle sprained. Taken to same hospital.

JAMES MALLOY, aged 35, of 133 Dilworth street, plumber for Allegheny Heating Company; scalp wound, face cut and bruised. Taken to hospital, but later removed to his home.

Conflicting stories are told as to what caused the accident. It is stated, however, that a one-horse wagon belonging to the Allegheny Heating Company, in which were Hunter, Malloy and three Italian laborers, was coming down the grade in Federal street, near East Jefferson. Alongside was a one-horse wagon owned by W. D. Beatty, a contractor, and driven by Samuel Reiser. When opposite the polling place of the Seventh precinct of the Second ward, the horses of both vehicles took fright and began a mad race down the hill. Before proceeding far, a collision resulted, and both wagons were upset. That of the heating company was demolished, the occupants were hurled to the pavement and the horse fell and could not regain its feet.

Beatty's wagin righted itself. Reiser regained his seat and vainly endeavored to check the animal, which continued on the run down the street, finally colliding with a horse and buggy driven by Mrs. Datt, when near Henderson street. Her horse was killed instantly and Mrs. Datt was thrown out, striking the pavement on her head.

Bystanders rushed to the assistance of the victims. The patrol wagon and ambulances were summoned, and the injured were removed to the hospital and cared for. Mrs. Datt is the worst injured. She is the wife of a well-known farmer residing near Gibsonia, and comes regularly to the Allegheny market to dispose of butter and eggs.

The runaway, occurring at a time when the street was crowded and when many voters and workers were at the polls, caused intense excitement in the locality and attracted a crowd of over 1,000 people.

SAPIRSTEIN RECITAL.

Former Pittsburgher Returns and Entertains a Discriminating Audience in Carnegie Music Hall.

Several years ago David Sapirstein and his brother, Pittsburghers and pupils of J. H. Gittings, gave a recital in this city and revealed unusual pianistic talent. Last night David returned to give a recital at Carnegie music hall, after a period of study in New York, and after having made a public appearance there with a success entitling him to a preferred place among the younger group of American pianists. An audience of considerable proportions assembled to hear young Sapirstein, and was liberal but discriminating in applause. The program was severe; no concession was made to display the virtuoso technique of which the player is undoubtedly possessed. A Bach-Tausig toccata and fugue opened the program, then followed the rather unfamiliar studies after Caprices, Paganini-Schumann; the inevitable Chopin group; the Beethoven sonata, op. 57; smaller numbers by Rubinstein and Spanuth, and, of course, Liszt for the finale.

The best work of the evening was done in the Beethoven sonata, the last movement especially being played with a crispness and clearness highly gratifying. The Bach was dignified, the Chopin not overdone, although at times more tone could have been given to the melodies, and particularly to the last few notes of phrases, which Sapirstein frequently allows to end almost inaudibly. The Liszt Tarantella, the last number of the program, was taken at a furious tempo, and after it the audience was rewarded with the only encore of the evening, although recalls were frequent. Sapirstein has made good use of his ability, and has an undoubtedly bright future in the pianistic world.

GERMAN VIEW OF SPORT.

Leipsic Professor Tells His Impressions of College Life in America.

No Esthetic Pursuits.

BERLIN, Feb. 20.—Prof. Wilhelm Ostwald of the University of Leipsic returned from his course of lectures at Harvard. Giving his impressions of American student life he says:

"The personal interest of the students, next to their studies, is concentrated alone on the sport which draws their attention altogether from intellectual or esthetic pursuits. Football, before all, is loved uncommonly, and it is practiced in such a fashion that academic and state authorities are near to forbidding it altogether. In the course of a single semester 19 students fell victims to enraged, brutal handling. At all the American universities are kinds of open amphitheaters in which many thousands of spectators view the periodic football battles."

Wilton Lackaye in Repertoire.

Mr. Wilton Lackaye will present "The Pit" at the Nixon theater next week. No advance indorsement of "The Pit" is necessary. It is essentially a western play, inspired, born and successfully launched in Chicago. Every scene is laid in Chicago, and it deals exclusively with Chicago people. Pittsburgh theatergoers who have seen Mr. Lackaye in "Trilby" will no doubt be interested to know that he is to present this famous play at the Nixon next week in addition to "The Pit." Mr. Lackaye will present "The Pit" on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings and Wednesday matinee. On Friday and Saturday evenings, the special Tuesday matinee and Saturday matinee he will present "Trilby." Seat sale begins tomorrow.

Capture Policeman's Murderer.

Chief of Police Bannon of Coraopolis received word yesterday that William Wright, the negro who killed Policeman Bruce Patton two months ago, is under arrest in a Virginia city. Chief Bannon, who would not name the town from which the report came, will start this morning to identify the prisoner.

Burglars Get $1,000 Worth of Clothing.

The South Side police were notified yesterday that burglars had robbed the store of Mayer Cohen, 3256 Carson street, of clothing valued at $1,000, some time Monday night. The burglars entered the store at the rear and it is thought they carried away their plunder in a wagon.

Loses Money and Valuable Papers.

Andrew Forley of 119 Smithfield street had his pocket picked at Smithfield and Diamond streets last night, of $8 and some valuable papers. He suspected August Delp of 1405 Fifth avenue and T. H. Johnston of 3311 Webster avenue, who were arrested.

Governor's Family Hurt in Runaway.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., Feb. 20.—Mrs. William D. Jelks, wife of the governor, and her daughter Catherine were thrown from a buggy on Court square today and were seriously hurt. Miss Jelks was cut across the chin, and her mother over the eye.

WOMEN WORK HARD IN ALLEGHENY

Make Personal Canvass of the Voters and Furnish Them With Coffee and Sandwiches.

ARE TREATED WITH COURTESY

Never since the city of Allegheny grew out of the old commons has it seen such an election as that of yesterday.

A run over the city in an automobile or a street car would have convinced a stranger that it was a fete day of some kind. Some consideration of the matter would bring the conclusion that a church society or charitable institution was having a lawn fete. Not because of the interest the churches have taken in the campaign, but because of the street scenes that were the features of a most unusual day.

To inaugurate the day for which they had been waiting and working, the Good Government party leaders turned loose eight brass bands in different parts of the city. This brought assurance that those who might be sleeping beyond the customary hours of rising would have their slumbers brought to a close by the realization that it was election day and the polls were open. Up streets and down streets these noisy bands marched, stopping only at short intervals to get their breath. Patriotic and sacred airs were indiscriminately cast upon the atmosphere, and in the wake of the players walked small boys bearing flags and streamers of the Logan party. If this innovation in politics did nothing else, it made fun for the children and gave transient pleasure to many of the women who have worked in their own way for the church candidate during the past month.

Automobiles and Advertising.

This was only the beginning of the remarkable spectacle witnessed on the North Side. Big touring cars, little gasoline runabouts and horse-drawn vehicles of every type were pressed into service by both political parties. Some bore pictures of Charles F. Kirschler and others of George B. Logan, besides the advice to vote for the candidates. The Logan people put out plenty of money for this particular campaign item of expense, and in some districts of the Second ward it looked from the number of carriages lined up near voting booths that there must be a funeral in some of the nearby houses. Anyone who showed a disposition to remain away from the polls because of sore feet or other indisposition was eagerly hustled into a carriage or an automobile and given a ride. Allegheny was certainly full of kind politicians yesterday.

But other incidents of the day were even more noteworthy than those already mentioned, and this was true largely because of the part the women have taken in political affairs. Automobiles and brass bands are not distinctly new or remarkable to any degree in a political campaign, but to see women going from door to door asking to speak to men whom they had never seen was but one of the strange revelations of the day's proceedings.

Used Eloquence Upon Women.

These women in most cases had a typewritten copy of the district registry book. From one house to another they tramped, usually in pairs, and when the men were not at home these campaigners talked earnestly with what women they could get into conversation. The latter were urged to appeal to their men folk to vote for Logan. Some of these women in their fervor of enthusiasm did missionary work in the streets, and standing near the polling places, accosted men utterly strange to them. It was positively pathetic to watch some of the women, for with all their earnestness and sincerity of purpose they manifested all the natural reluctance a woman possesses when placed in a position entirely without her established province.

To the credit of the men of Allegheny it must be said the vast majority of them treated the women kindly, and if many of them did hand out a political promise it was done to salve a woman's feelings rather than with intent to tell an untruth. There were men, however, who manifested impatience and who were rather rude in expressing their disapproval of the advent of women into "ward heeler" practices, but these were in the minority and their meetings with the women were cut so short in most instances that they were not allowed much time for sidewalk oratory on the ethics of politics and the conduct of the home.

Coffee and Sandwich Army.

More practical in their methods of working, perhaps, were the women who comprised the small brigades of the coffee and sandwich army. In hastily constructed booths these fair devotees to the science of politics labored in a sphere in which they appeared to better advantage than those of their sex who were doing foot work in the precincts. With the skill born of years in their kitchens at home, these kind-hearted women made fat sandwiches and boiled great pots of black coffee. Had the weather been more severe no doubt their efforts would have been more gratefully acknowledged, and as it was many a man gulped down a large tin cup of steaming Java and munched contentedly on a generous slice of boiled ham, laid between fresh slices of homemade bread or making the interior constituent of a swelling bun.

Some heartless workers of the Republican party were overheard remarking that everyone who ate a lunch and drank a cup of coffee was not voting for Logan, but this made no impression upon the women. This part the women had in the campaign was as worthy as it looked, and it is a fact there was less drunkenness about the polls than is usual. The presence of the women as well as their labor had a salutary effect and more than this, many of the women relatives of district workers remained all day close to the latter. It may be that this in a measure curtailed the consumption of the red liquor.

Women Pray for Logan.

Most notable of all the combined participation of the women in the events of the day was the prolonged session of prayer in the Fourth United Presbyterian church, Arch street and Montgomery avenue. From 10 o'clock in the morning until after 4 o'clock in the afternoon hundreds of women in silent and audible prayer offered up their supplication for victory. Their appeals were for George B. Logan. During the more than six hours of sacred service the chair was occupied by different women. Usually one woman presided for an hour and retired in favor of another who had previously consented to lead. The congregation was changed from time to time, many women remaining an hour or more, or less, and returning either home or to the vicinity of the polling places. Many went home for lunch and returned, while others, more devout, thought not of their temporal welfare and stayed to pray. At the close of the service almost 300 women were in the church. It was really an impressive display of hope and deep interest upon the part of the women.

As the day advanced the brass bands ceased gradually, for during the afternoon few voters were at home. Most of them were at their work and the music of instruments could in no way influence them. The weary performers gathered at the Logan headquarters late in the afternoon and rested from their labors, preparing for a short strenuous period of activity in the evening.

Was Logan Weather.

The weather was of the kind the Logan people prayed for during the weeks prior to the election, and the big vote predicted should such weather prevail seemed to be coming out. From figures gathered in most of the wards during the afternoon a record-breaking vote was indicated. In every precinct of the city there were about twice as many workers at the polls as usually are found there on election day. The Republican party has an excellent organization throughout the city, and, considering the brief period of existence of the Good Government party, the showing they made in organization work was creditable. Although the Republicans had a majority of the men who are known in their wards as the real workers during political times, the men employed by the Logan party showed considerable activity.

One of the noticeable things in some of the wards was the manner in which the colored vote figured. Most colored people are consistent attendants at some church. The connection between the church and the Logan party was so close in the campaign that in reality they were a unit. This fact became very evident early in the day, and especially in the big Second ward, with its 14 churches, for here the African contingent showed unmistakable signs of their preference for Logan.

The party leaders on both sides covered many miles of city streets during the day. Charles F. Kirschler started out early with Judge Elliott Rodgers in the latter's big automobile, and if there was a voting place in the city they overlooked it was because it was not shown in their guide book. George B. Logan, with Councilman John W. Robinson most of the time, and several ministers some of the time, scooted about all over the city in a big touring car. Both sides expressed confidence all day.

BANDITS COLLECT GOLD BUT HOLD PRISONER

EL PASO, TEX., Feb. 20.—The bandits who kidnaped Col. Robert Hannigan, the Deming (N. M.) ranchman, from a stage near Silver City, N. M., are alleged to have collected $2,000 ransom money to date, yet they still hold him. Officers fear to attack them in their retreat in Mogollon mountain lest they kill the prisoner.

Builds 16,000 Cars.

The annual meeting of the Pressed Steel Car Company will be held in the company's offices in the Farmers bank building today. No special proposition is to be submitted to the stockholders. It is said the annual report will be very encouraging and show the company built about 16,600 cars last year, as against 4,812 in 1904.

GAMBLING WITH DEATH.

What Many of Us Are Doing Three Times a Day.

For everything we get something is taken away. Every act pulls two ways. Some men in power dole out their souls for it. They can't have soul and power at the same time.

And so, in this quick-living age, most of us can't have energy and health at the same time. One or the other must be lost, and it is usually health.

We know we are doing wrong and would like to reform, but we have a morbid fear of being laughed at if we aim to live and eat according to conscience and good sense.

Some of us break away for a while and enslave ourselves to a diet. We read about the hardy Scotsman being fed on porridge and oatcake, making soldiers of muscle and dash, and how Caesar's army was fed on corn. But the diet doesn't last long. We quickly swing back into the great line, eating and drinking to fullness like the rest, eating anything and everything, at any time, and any way we find it. We say "What is a stomach for if it isn't to obey the palate."

But there is really no one rule applicable to everybody's stomach. What one man may eat another may not.

But the dyspeptic should remember that the death list has a dark shadow hovering over it with a long bony finger pointing to "died of heart disease." Physicians will tell us that there are few cases of heart disease that do not come from a stomach derangement.

At every meal we may be brewing for ourselves a terrible case of dyspepsia. It may come upon us after breakfast tomorrow morning, or after that oyster supper tomorrow night.

Acute indigestion means that you have even chances for death or life. That's the gamble you are taking. That precious gastric juice decides, as a rule, whether you continue to live or not.

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DIVORCE CONGRESS IN AN ARGUMENT

The Question of the Migratory Divorce Invokes Parliamentary Tactics.

RESOLUTIONS ARE ADOPTED

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Animated discussion was indulged in today by the congress on uniform divorce laws on the resolutions proposed by the Pennsylvania delegation outlining important reforms for uniform laws on this subject by the various states, and which had been indorsed practically in their entirety by the resolutions committee. Arguments were exhausted and parliamentary tactics invoked by the minority of the congress to defeat the adoption of the following portion of the report of the committee on resolutions, striking the death blow at the migratory divorce:

"When the courts are given cognizance of suits where the plaintiff was domesticated in a foreign jurisdiction at the time the cause of complaint arose, it should be insisted that relief will not be given unless the cause of divorce was included among those recognized in such foreign domicile."

The section was finally adopted by an overwhelming majority after a compromise amendment offered by O. W. Hart of Louisiana had been defeated by a vote of 15 to 16. The forces opposing the adoption of the section were led by the Rev. Caroline Bartlett Crane of Michigan, whose efforts were seconded by Delegates Wolcott of Michigan, Leech of West Virginia and Sterling of South Dakota.

Regarding the adoption of the first resolution submitted by the committee that it was the sense of the congress that a federal divorce law was not feasible, Gov. Pennypacker said:

"The resolution has been adopted, and the first step in the path of progress has been taken."

The section declaring that each state should adopt legislation restricting the remedies afforded by its statutes of divorce to its own citizens, was adopted with some modifications.

Bishop Hanley of North Dakota explained his presence in the convention, saying: "I am thoroughly in sympathy with anything that is to destroy the divorce evil. I do not approve of absolute divorce for any cause whatsoever."

WILL MAKE INVESTIGATION OF COAL AND OIL TRAFFIC

House Committee Unanimously Decides to Make Favorable Report on Joint Resolution.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—By unanimous vote the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce today decided to make a favorable report on the Tillman resolution as amended by the sub-committee consisting of Hepburn of Iowa, Townsend of Michigan and Adamson of Georgia. In its amended form the resolution provides for the investigation by the interstate commerce commission of "railroad discriminations and monopolies in coal and oil."

The compromise measure is a combination of the Tillman, Gillespie and Campbell resolutions. It retains the number and title of the Tillman resolution, but narrows it by striking out the proposed investigation of monopolies and discriminations in all products hauled by railways.

The measure is broader than the Gillespie resolution in that it includes all coal, while the Gillespie resolution related only to bituminous coal; and it practically includes the Campbell resolution by extending the investigation to all.

BIG WILL SET ASIDE.

Million-Dollar Estate Does Not Go to Husband of Wealthy Massachusetts Woman.

SALEM, MASS., Feb. 20.—The will of Mrs. Jennie P. Chase of Swampscott was set aside today and the decree whereby Deforest Woodruff Chase, son of the woman's husband, Dr. Horace Chase, was made Mrs. Chase's heir, will be revoked. Mrs. Chase died under alleged suspicious circumstances, but it was announced that she committed suicide.

Relatives contested the will, which gave property valued at $1,000,000 or more to her adopted son, and evidence showed that undue influence, threats and coercion were used to secure the adoption of the will. Deforest Woodruff Chase died a few months after he inherited the property of his foster mother. The fortune reverted to Dr. Chase, who, because of legal restrictions, had not shared in the estate.

SPEAK ON "THE UNIVERSITY."

Well-Known Educators Discuss Phases of the Subject Before Teachers.

Interesting discussion of the various phases of "The Rise of the Universities" took place last night at the meeting of the padagogical section of the Academy of Science and Art, in the rooms of the central board of education.

"The Origin of Universities" was traced by Prof. W. J. Hyatt of the Allegheny Preparatory school; "The Organization of Universities" was told by Prof. William Douglass of Shadyside academy; "The Curriculum and Method of Study" were described by Prof. J. E. Marvin of the Central High school, and "The Influence of Universities" was touched upon by Prof. A. E. Hunter of the Western University of Pennsylvania. Dr. A. E. Frost of the Western University of Pennsylvania presided at the meeting, which was largely attended.

ONE FAILURE CAUSES RUN ON CHICAGO BANK

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—A run was started today on the Jackson Trust and Savings bank, it being thought by many of the depositors that the institution is involved by the failure of the Bank of America. The bank had savings deposits of $190,000 and commercial deposits of $750,000. Its capital is $250,000 and surplus, $50,000, undivided profits, $22,000. Among its resources were $800,000 in loans and discounts and $234,000 in stocks and bonds. By afternoon it was estimated by the officers of the bank that $150,000 of commercial and savings account had been withdrawn.

DRYDOCK DEWEY RIDES A VERY STORMY SEA

LAS PALMAS, Feb. 20.—(Copyright Cable.)—The fleet towing the drydock Dewey is 480 miles west of the Canaries, with everything going well. This word comes by the tug Potomac. They had adverse strong winds and a rough sea almost the entire trip. The drydock broke adrift three times and was picked up with difficulty. They expect to arrive at Las Palmas on February 28, if the weather favors.

Mary Rogers Fools the Police.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Mary Rogers, the girl who yesterday told the authorities she had walked the streets here for two days, hungry and friendless, is now under arrest on a charge of street walking, having been arrested at 2 o'clock this morning in Mahoningtown by Officer Weddell. The girl's mind may be affected, for she tells many and conflicting stories.

Explosion Kills Two and Hurts One.

BLUEFIELD, W. VA., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—In a premature dynamite explosion at Coalwood today John Willis and Tom Nash, both single, were killed and Frank Collier, son of the superintendent in charge, was seriously injured. The men were putting off heavy blasts in a tunnel under construction connecting the railroad with one of the Coalwood operations.

BATTLES IN BOROUGHS ARE MANY AND LIVELY

By Far the Greater Number of Officials Elected Belong to Republican Party.

Considerable interest was taken in the elections in all the boroughs, and Republicans captured the largest proportion of offices. The results follow:

ASPINWALL—The Square Deal party defeated the Republican ticket. The school bond issue for $15,000 passed without opposition. Those elected were: Burgess, James B. Hazlett; council, C. M. Barr, S. D.; J. C. M. Hemphill, Rep.; school directors, Dr. W. M. Marshall, Rep.-Pro.-S. D.; George L. Herron, S. D.; Charles G. Smith, Rep.; tax collector, August Luft; auditor, H. A. Deardorff.

AVALON—The Republican ticket had no opposition: Burgess, Samuel H. Parker; council, Samuel McQuigg and William P. Heckman; school directors, John W. West and J. W. Lackey; tax collector, M. K. Miller; auditor, D. R. A. McLean; justice, Frank N. Young.

BRIDGEVILLE—The Citizens ticket was elected: Burgess, R. L. McMillan; council, William Der and C. P. Mayer; school directors, J. P. Bowman and John F. Vaner; justice, W. F. Russell; tax collector, J. E. Franks.

BRADDOCK—The Republican ticket won with large majorities, W. P. Griffiths being defeated for burgess by over 600. Those elected: Burgess, J. Edgar Little; tax collector, Charles S. Marks; auditor, William Dillon; council, John Shields, George H. House, George E. Harris, C. F. Kler and W. M. Mench; school directors, W. F. Stewart, J. R. King and George L. House.

BELLEVUE—The entire Republican ticket was elected: Burgess, Edward S. Means, Sr.; auditors, George E. Campbell and H. D. Ramsey; justice, A. W. Douglass; tax collector, William R. Johnston; council, First ward, Ralph Mineart; Second ward, Harry E. Newell (three years), George Wasson (one year); Third ward, David W. Hubley; school directors, First ward, William Thompson; Third ward, Albert Ebaugh.

BEN AVON—The only fight was for council between W. J. Miller, American Party, and J. O. Bragdon, Citizens' Party, and resulted in the election of Miller. Others elected: Burgess, C. D. Dyer; school directors, A. C. Knox, W. W. Miller, Charles H. Stone, H. S. Scribner, John Wilhelm and Charles H. Hays; tax collector, John Spencer; auditor, J. A. Pritchett; justice, S. T. McClelland.

CRAFTON—Republicans elected the following: Burgess, Pierre Dannals; tax collector, Dwight L. Richey; auditors, P. L. Boice and Otto C. Campbell; council, A. D. Robb, Albert Davis and R. H. Davies; school directors, J. O. Ogden, W. C. Risher and J. L. Ralph.

CORAOPOLIS—The entire Republican ticket was elected.

CARNEGIE—The Republican ticket was elected as follows: Burgess, Dr. E. G. Husler; treasurer, John W. Lanap; tax collector, H. R. Bigham; auditors, John Taylor, John Roods and W. J. Rees; council, First ward, J. W. Reed, Second ward, J. W. Dushane; school director, First ward, W. A. Love; Second ward, Daniel Boden.

DUQUESNE—Republicans took everything and the Independents lost control of councils for the first time in the history of the borough. The winning candidates are: Burgess, George W. Richards; tax collector, Van A. Reed; justices, Joseph H. Shaw and James D. McConnell; council, First ward, Max Raible; Second ward, James St. Clair and Joseph A. Hughes; Third ward, Michael Flannigan and Nicholas Hensler; school directors, L. L. Cannon and Walter C. Jones.

EDGEWOOD—The following Citizens candidates were elected: Burgess, John Miller; council, O. B. Craig and T. S. Grubbs; school director, W. J. McCance, J. F. McCrady, J. C. McQuistin and Dr. Adolph Koenig; tax collector, Robert Collins; auditor, J. M. McElroy; justice, Robert Collins.

EAST PITTSBURGH—The following Republican ticket was elected: Burgess, B. A. Powell; auditor, Francis Marks; tax collector, Frank Clark; council, Frank Geiss, F. E. Richardson, B. F. Sullivan; school directors, Charles McNeill, William Starz, Harry Tompkins, Raymond O'Rourke. Geiss was re-elected in the First ward over Walter Seidel, Ind., 91 votes to 81. Seidel will contest.

ETNA—These Republicans were elected: Burgess, George K. Calvert; council, Alex Andres and Charles H. Jahn; school directors, Dr. George A. Spear and Charles Morton; tax collector, George N. Pfaub; auditor, Isaac Hartung.

EMSWORTH—The entire Republican ticket was elected, with an average majority of 15 votes. Burgess, W. A. Hattman; council, M. J. Slattery, A. C. Rapp, W. H. Morrison and W. H. Hildebrand; school directors, A. W. Ginn and Maurice Mikesell; tax collector, James L. Kidd; auditor, Edward L. Burgess; justice, J. J. Randolph, Sr.

EDGEWORTH—The Republican ticket was elected: Burgess, J. W. Collins; council, William Wardrop and John Booth; school directors, J. F. Haworth and Clarence Fincke; justice, Charles Davis.

EAST M'KEESPORT—The whole Republican ticket, with the exception of burgess, won. W. C. Gillis, the Peoples candidate, was elected by a majority of two votes. The others elected are: Council, B. H. Cannon and E. G. King; school directors, W. B. Sands and Arthur Binns; tax collector, Fred J. Harn; auditors, J. H. White and J. F. Cowan. In the local option contest, the "Drys" won by 135 to 95.

GLASSPORT—Republican ticket elected, as follows: Burgess, P. J. Kelley; council, John Reed, H. C. Griffin, M. Murrary and S. B. Davis; school directors, I. Weddle and Branch Howard.

GLEN OSBORNE—The Republican ticket was elected: Burgess, C. G. Woods; council, Fred L. Fast and Robert Trimble; school directors, Amos Lister and F. F. Murphy.

HAYS—Republicans elected the following: Burgess, S. W. Hill; justice, Daniel McSweeney; tax collector, Hugh Pickwick; council, Ira Giles, William Wiles and John Delger; school directors, C. R. Bateman and W. R. Reed.

HOMESTEAD—Burgess, Lewis Rott, R.; council, F. J. Erbeck, R.; E. M. Gessner and John Bauer, Ind.; H. M. Scorer, R.; John Sullivan, R., and H. G. Vickers, Ind.; school directors, John D. Kerr, R.; Dennis Murray, R.; Robert Carr, Ind.; S. A. Espey, R.; W. H. Langham, R., and John McCormick; tax collector, William Gray, R.

HAYSVILLE—The Democratic ticket was elected: Burgess, Joseph R. Kerr; council, Guy Beddell, O. W. Moyer, A. L. Heilman and C. C. Whitehead; school director, John Hay.

INGRAM—Republicans elected the following: Burgess, S. P. Hendershot; council, W. E. Clark and A. J. Marshall; school directors, J. B. Nell and S. J. Mertz; tax collector, S. J. Creighton; auditors, H. A. Schreffler and Thos. Wright.

MILLVALE—Burgess, Ed Vero, Dem.; tax collector, Louis Spreng, Dem.; justices, E. R. Beuther, Rep.; J. L. Gardner, Dem.; council, T. H. McCutcheon, Rep.; C. W. Blumer, Rep.; E. G. Lippert, Rep.; W. Forsythe, Dem.; James. Houlahan and Joseph Aschammer; council, Messrs.

QUIET ELECTION IN HILL WARDS

Officer Bell Gives Rennon "23" When He Tries to Vote in Seventh Ward.

POLLING PLACES CLOSE

In the Hill and Penn avenue wards, as a general rule, there was no excitement aside from the little caused by defective ballots and newly-organized election boards. In most instances the trouble was quickly remedied, but in the Second district of the Eleventh ward the polls were not opened until almost noon owing to the non-appearance of William Delaney, judge of elections.

Out Penn avenue the workers were bemoaning the lack of excitement which had been incident to elections of other days. In the Ninth and Tenth wards some of the men thought the polls should be closed or else somebody start a fight. In the Fifth ward, at Tunnel street, a large crowd was congregated about the polling place, and aside from a few caresses delivered on others' faces the voters passed the day with funereal solemnity. In the Third district of the Seventh ward a little excitement was caused in the morning. A negro walked into the polling place and said he wanted to vote. The watchers gave him a searching glance and he said his name was Edward Rennon.

"We don't have your name on the registry list," answered the judge.

"Don' worry me one bit whetha you-all had mah name or no. I am a regula' votah o' dis wa'd an' deman' mah rights." Biff!

Down and Out.

The scene changes and Rennon is seen doing the "down and out" act in the gutter. Officer Matthew Bell, colored, was the "man behind the punch."

"Now, you-all git, Rennon," said Bell. "Ah done said if you tried to vote Ah would do things to you' feachers." Rennon got up and sure did "git."

In the Tenth district of the Eleventh ward the payroll was using "roughhouse" tactics with the Republican voters. But in the general exchange, when the books had been balanced, as many payrollers as voters were resplendent with discolored optics.

The Seventh ward was split. The lower district was presided over by Alderman Louis Alpern. He was confident of the result in his district, and said Mr. Jenkinson would have a good majority. In the Eighth ward it seemed as if every voter wore a Republican watcher's badge. S. C. Jamison and Samuel Frankel claimed the ward as early as 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon for the Republican ticket by majorities ranging from 600 to 800.

Voters Arrive in Wagons.

Out in the Thirteenth ward a heavy vote was polled. Both parties had wagons driving around the ward and in many instances voters were driven to the polls in the wagons. Much interest is centered in the Thirteenth ward fight. The fight between Charles C. Schad, Republican, and Richard McNally, Democrat, for common council was considered a warm one.

The colored men in the Third district of the Twelfth ward claimed they were not permitted to vote. A bench warrant was issued and after the election board was "shown" by the court the negroes were given ballots as well as the whites.

There were some instances where the printer had erred in the ballot, and until the boards could remedy the defects the polls were closed. Very few arrests were made and aside from what may happen after the workers are paid, the day seemed remarkably quiet for a hot fight.

SECRET IS WELL GUARDED.

Pittsburgh Couple, Married 18 Months, Take Friends Into Their Confidence.

On August 19, 1904, Russel E. Frazier, a well-known law student of this city, journeyed to Asheville, N. C., where Miss Amanda Roeper had gone on a visit. Unknown to their friends in Pittsburgh they were quietly married, and three days later returned to this city.

Last night dozens of friends of the couple were startled by the announcement that they had been life partners for 18 months.

During this time Mr. Frazier has been diligently pursuing his law studies with a big firm downtown, and his bride has lived with her parents in Carrick borough. Now they will take up life's burden in the formal way as soon as they can find a home cozy enough for their long maturing ideas.

Find Plunder of Robbers.

NEW BRIGHTON, PA., Feb. 20.—Three months after the murder of Night Watchman Michael Brew by robbers in the rear [illegible] drug store, about $50 worth of goods stolen from the Martsolf hardware store were found today not more than 25 feet from where the watchman was shot. The knives were wrapped in oiled paper and but few of them rusted.

Alleged Safe Blower Is Arrested.

Detectives Elmore and Sieffert arrested "Cracker" Smith, an alleged safe blower, in the Second ward yesterday, where he was trying to vote. Smith is wanted at Bellaire, O., on a charge of highway robbery. The Bellaire authorities have been notified.

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ELECTION FIGHTS GET INTO COURT

Fewer Cases of the Kind Than Were Anticipated, but Some Are Serious.

BAD AFFAIR IN THE TWELFTH

While the political cases in court yesterday were not as numerous as had been anticipated, trouble arose in the Sixth district of the Twelfth ward, which Judge McClung characterized as the worst election case he had ever heard. He made it plain to the members of the board, who were brought before him, that in the event of a contest the vote of the district would be thrown out.

Judges McClung and Young sat on the cases. The Sixth district dispute came late in the afternoon, when the members of the board were taken into court on bench warrants issued on petition of Henry Strange, a Republican overseer. Assistant District Attorney William D. Grimes represented the petitioner, Attorneys W. J. Brennen and H. B. Wassell appearing for the board, which is composed of Timothy Larkin, judge, and Daniel Fallon and Fred Zuilkle, inspectors. Strange had a number of witnesses in support of his assertions that the election was being improperly conducted, that there was much disorder, police interference and unlawful invasion of the booths by friends of the voters. He further alleged that one of the policemen had drawn a revolver; that Ed Klinivitch, not a resident of the district, had voted twice regardless of protest, and that names of voters were whispered to the judge, so the list could not be properly checked. Strange also alleged voters were intimidated.

Larkin Makes a Defense.

Larkin of the board denied all the assertions of the petitioner, and maintained he was doing his best to conduct the election fairly. Aside from a lot of arguments, he said, there was no trouble.

While he was testifying Attorney Brennen and Thomas Meehan, asserted that J. L. Harris, one of the petitioner's witnesses, had been in court earlier in the day from another district. Harris maintained he was a voter in the Sixth district and claimed to be a watcher at the polls, but was unable to produce a certificate. Harris claimed to have been arrested by a policeman who pulled a revolver on him. John Schlott, a candidate for school director, testified the board by raising trifling objections, made it hard for voters. Thomas Jones, a colored watcher, and Zuilkle, the Republican inspector, also testified to the disorder. Fallon denied anyone had voted twice and assured the court they were endeavoring to conduct the election fairly.

Judge McClung finally decided to send the board back but said he was convinced the man referred to had voted twice. He told the board in dismissing them that "if the result of the election depends on this district, you will find a contest will give you a great deal of trouble."

Charles Bond, charged before Alderman S. J. Toole with perjury, it being alleged that he vouched for a person who had no right to vote in the Fourth ward, was released by Judge McClung on $500 bail. Bond, who denied the charge, was ordered to appear before Alderman Toole at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Too Many Tax Receipts.

Felix Anania, arrested as a suspicious person because a number of tax receipts in duplicate were found in his possession, was also released on $500 bail. It was claimed that some of the receipts were forged. In admitting the man to bail, the court said:

"I want you to understand that there is evidence here of your being guilty of a very serious offense, and I don't want to hear of you being in any more trouble."

On petition of seven negroes, who claimed they were not allowed to vote, John Driscoll, Robert Sheehan and the other members of the board of the Third district of the Twelfth ward, were taken into court. Andrew H. Jackson, one of the complainants, claimed he was forcibly ejected from the polling place. The board denied the assertions of the negroes, and said Jackson had been put out to prevent trouble. The court dismissed the board, saying they must allow negroes who could show proof of their eligibility, to vote.

In the First district of the Fourth ward Edward Duffey, who claimed to be an inspector, petitioned the court to compel the board to allow him to qualify. On account of domestic trouble, Duffey has been living since last May in the First ward, but he said he acted as inspector at the November election.

Trouble between the Citizens and Republicans of Coraopolis resulted in the latter going into court and asking for an injunction to compel the election boards, which they alleged were controlled by the Citizens, to do their legal duty. It was alleged the boards undertook to prevent negroes from voting and it was said bloodshed was feared. The court declined to interfere without the citation of particular instances of wrongdoing.

Ryhel Is Held for Court.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Vernon Ryhel, accused of larceny and burglary, received a hearing this afternoon before Mayor Hainer on four counts and was held for trial at the March criminal court. He was unable to furnish $2,500 bail. The specific charges were having burglar tools in his possession, larceny made by the New Castle China Company and entering the homes of Thomas L. Morgan and A. W. Phillips.

Building and Contents Are Damaged.

Fire broke out yesterday morning at 327 Eighth avenue, West Homestead, in the frame building owned by Frank Kunkle and occupied on one side by Edward Robideau as a barber shop and on the other side by his wife as a milliner. The contents were entirely destroyed, with a loss of $3,000, and the building was damaged to the extent of $2,000.

C. F. KIRSCHLER SELF-MADE MAN

Born in Allegheny City and Worked His Way Up Against Adversity.

ACHIEVES A GREAT AMBITION

Charles Frederick Kirschler, the next mayor of Allegheny, was born in the Second ward of Allegheny 41 years ago and has lived in the city all his life. The death of his father, when the children were very young, sent Charles out to get his start in life. His early business ventures were on a small scale, but in all of them he displayed commercial acumen and an intelligent grasp of affairs. His boyhood was spent in the grocery store of Fred Wagner, in Ohio street.

Young Kirschler neglected no opportunity to improve his mind, and while working hard in the store during the hours of daylight, he labored equally as laboriously at his books at night. He was a constant attendant at the night sessions of the public school of the Second ward, and was soon master of commercial arithmetic and bookkeeping. While still in his early youth, Mr. Kirschler was employed as messenger in the Third National bank, in Federal street, where he rose to the position of teller. The desire to get into business for himself, however, took him from the bank, and he bought out the business of Lockhart, who for many years conducted the most modern grocery store in the city. In this business he remained for a year or two, and then, having the opportunity to sell advantageously, relinquished his ownership.

Reorganization Was Successful.

About this time the old Lutz brewery was in a condition not the most prosperous. Mr. Kirschler became interested and organized a stock company. The brewery within a year was doing more than double its former business and Mr. Kirschler was acting as secretary and treasurer. In this business he found little that was congenial, and after seeing his business efforts crowned with remarkable success, he resigned his position and with Frank H. Tooker bought the Fifth avenue hotel from John Newell. This branch of business seemed to be as little to the liking of Mr. Kirschler as was the brewery, and he engaged in it only about two years. Selling his interest to his partner, Mr. Kirschler at once organized the Provident Trust Company and gathered about him many of the most substantial business men in Allegheny. He was made president of the institution, and in the three years of his incumbency has put the concern on a solid financial basis.

Early in life Mr. Kirschler took an interest in local politics and served his political apprenticeship as a ward worker. His horizon broadened, and in 1899 the Fifth ward sent him to select council with a handsome majority over his opponent, Robert Lee. He was re-elected in 1902, and during the last years he was in council he was chairman of the finance committee and member of other important committees.

Determined to Be Mayor.

When his term expired last spring he was tendered a re-election without opposition, but he declined to accept the honor. The determination to run for mayor was born in him not many months after Mayor Wyman took office. Mr. Kirschler realized that before another mayoralty campaign the Citizens party would be impotent, and openly expressed his hope of being elected mayor of his native city on the Republican ticket. From the first he received encouragement, and as the years of Citizens rule shortened to a period of a few months, his strength grew and he entered the primaries without opposition. As a compliment to their candidate more than half the voters in the city recorded their approval at the primary, and Mr. Kirschler was formally made the party nominee. Later he was indorsed by the Democratic party and by the Independents, and several other minor political parties in the several wards of the city.

As a campaigner he proved to have high qualifications. Throughout the mill and factory district he was received with enthusiasm and his popularity with the workers was shown in the hearty support he got from organized labor. Some of his most stanch supporters and workers were the men who are most prominent in labor organizations. His personal character was such, too, that it could not justly be assailed by those opposing him. In no part of the campaign did he criticize harshly those who opposed him.

Mr. Kirschler's Family Life.

Mr. Kirschler was married to Miss Ida McClurg, daughter of John McClurg, the Allegheny manufacturer of breadstuffs and confectionery. Their family consists of one daughter and one son. Mr. Kirschler is a member of the Emmanuel Protestant Episcopal church. He was a delegate to the last Republican convention at Chicago and for the past seven years has been one of the most hard-working Republican leaders in the city. Mr. Kirschler's term in office commences on April 2 and he will continue as mayor until the formal consolidation of Pittsburgh and Allegheny places the mayor of Pittsburgh at the head of both cities. Mr. Kirschler then becomes deputy mayor and will serve out his term in this capacity. He will be the last mayor of the city of Allegheny, as after the expiration of his term, Allegheny as a separate municipality will be a thing of the past.

Spends $180 for Whisky.

William Grant, who said he was a sailor, was before Burgess C. A. Sweadner of West Homestead yesterday. Grant said that during the winter he worked on a Pittsburgh towboat and that several days ago he drew $186 pay. He was arrested for being drunk, and explained that of the $186 he had spent $6 for clothes and $180 for whisky. He was sent to jail for 10 days.

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Formerly $6.00 to $15.00
Soup Tureens.....$4.00 to $8.75 each
Formerly $8.00 to $17.50
Cake Baskets.....$1.75 to $4.75 each
Formerly $3.50 to $9.50
Syrup Pitchers.....$1.75 to $4.15 each
Formerly $3.50 to $8.25
Ice Tubs.....$1.90 to $3.40 each
Formerly $3.75 to $6.75
Vegetable Dishes.....$1.90 to $7.90 each
Formerly $3.75 to $15.75
Pickle Castors.....$1.15 to $3.50 each
Formerly $1.75 to $7.00
Baking Dishes.....$3.40 to $7.50 each
Formerly $6.75 to $15.00
Ice Pitchers.....$2.50 to $7.40 each
Formerly $5.00 to $14.75
Coffee Urns with lamp base.....$7.50 to $11.50 each
Formerly $15.00 to $23.00
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(No. 208.)

AN ORDINANCE—Levying taxes and assessing water rents for the fiscal year beginning March 1st, 1906.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the select and common council of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That for the purpose of providing sufficient revenue to meet the ordinary expenses of the city to pay interest on outstanding bonds and discharge all other liabilities now due or which may become payable during the said year, beginning March 1st, 1906, taxes shall be levied and assessed upon all property and other objects of taxation as follows, viz.: City taxes. Upon all property taxable for state or county purposes fourteen (14) mills upon each dollar of valuation except the property in said city designated as rural, upon which the tax shall be assessed at two-thirds of said rate; and upon all property designated as agricultural the tax shall be assessed at one-half of said rate. Upon all property taxable for state or county purposes (exclusive of improvements) a tax of three-tenths (3-10) of one mill, for the purpose of paying interest on all sewer bonds of the city not otherwise provided for by the sinking fund.

Sec. 2. And be it ordained that the board of assessors shall assess said taxes, and the city treasurer shall have no power to divide any item of tax as reported by the board of assessors.

Sec. 3. That the rates of vehicle licenses for 1906 shall remain the same as fixed by ordinance approved July 26, 1895, entitled, "An ordinance relative to the licensing of vehicles in the City of Allegheny."

Sec. 4. That the following shall be the rates of water rents. One room, $2.50; two rooms, $4.00; three rooms, $5.75; four rooms, $7.25; five rooms, $8.75; six rooms, $10.25. House containing more than six rooms shall be assessed an additional $1.50 per room; large rooms (equal in size to two common rooms), shall be assessed as two rooms; elevators, hotels, taverns, boarding houses, drinking saloons, cotton factories, breweries, tanneries, malt houses, and all places where steam is used, shall be charged special rates, to be fixed by the committee on public works, except when supplied by water measure, then the rate shall be one (1) cent per hundred gallons; also, a further rate, exclusive of any rate that may be charged by the foregoing, on the following items, viz.: Public baths, each tub, the sum of $10; private baths, each (cold water) $2; private baths, each (hot and cold water) $3; water closets, public and private, not less than $2 nor more than $10; private dwellings, each, additional closet, half rates; Ives, McKissock's or similar closets, each $12; plug wash hand basins, each, $1.50; carriages, omnibuses, buggies, etc., $2.50 to $10; horses, each, $1.50; cows, each, 75 cents; slaughtering houses, each, from $10 to $50; store rooms, separate and apart from dwellings, from $2.50 to $10; hydrants, or any other arrangements (separate from hydrants in common use), for washing pavements, from $1 to $10; and garden or lawn hose, from $2.50 to $25; saloons [illegible] where bumps are used, each $5 additional; barber shops, one chair, $5 for each additional chair used $2; blacksmith shops, each forge, $2; churches, from $2 to $7; schools, from $5 to $25; offices, separate from dwellings and stores, $2; bakeries, for each barrel of flour baked, 1 cent; fountains in yards or gardens, a jet of three-sixteenths (3-16), $5, each additional jet, $2; brick yards, for each 1,000 bricks made, 10 cents. All the above indefinite assessments to be made at the discretion of the superintendent of bureau of water assessments. Permits for sprinkling the streets will be granted by the superintendent of bureau of water assessments, on the terms to be fixed by the director of the department of public works. The committee on public works may suspend the use of water for sprinkling streets, whenever in their opinion, the public exigencies may require it. Any person or persons believing themselves aggrieved by the superintendent in levying the water tax, may at any time appeal for redress to the committee on public works, stating the facts under oath or affirmation, administered by competent authority.

Sec. 5. That the superintendent of the bureau of water assessments be and he is hereby authorized to assess all owners of manufactories and private dwellings (who are not and can be assessed according to the [illegible] schedule), not exceeding five [illegible] their valuation for water purposes, no tax to be levied on property not within reach of fire protection.

Sec. 6. That the revenue of the said city for the year 1906-1907 arising from taxes, water rents, markets, fines and forfeitures and all other sources, together with any money in the city treasury not appropriated, are hereby appropriated for the current fiscal year.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR 1906-1907.

City tax 14 mills on valuation of $87,726,475.00 less 15 per cent.	$1,044,064.05
Water tax	276,000.00
Sewer tax	10,000.00
Magistrate's office	14,000.00
Wharves and landings	6,500.00
Bureau of water	3,000.00
Vehicle license	17,500.00
Peddlers' license	8,000.00
Pitts., Ft. Wayne & Chicago R. R.	3,400.00
Delinquent taxes	200,000.00
Liquor license	175,000.00
Collection of school tax	1,500.00
Department of charities	13,000.00
Bureau of markets	27,000.00
Bureau of highways	2,000.00
Amusement licenses	2,500.00
Carnegie hall rent	2,000.00
Water rent per meter	3,000.00
Passenger railway companies	12,000.00
Allegheny Illum. Co.	3,000.00
Interest on daily balances	20,000.00
Switch license	1,500.00
Pitts. & Western R. R. Co.	3,000.00
Ground rent seminary prop.	2,100.00
Pole tax	2,500.00
Penn. Light & Power Co.	8,500.00
Building permits	4,000.00
Dog license	1,400.00
P. & A. Telephone Co.	1,800.00
Sundry sources	4,000.00
Collections from law dept.	58,640.00
	$1,938,404.05

Sec. 7. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 15th day of February A. D. 1906. JOHN C. OLIVER,
President Pro Tem. of Select Council.
Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLIS, City Clerk.
SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., February 16th, A. D. 1906. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.

IN PERIL OF HIS LIFE

BY EMILE GABORIAU

Author of "THE MYSTERY OF ORCIVAL," "FILE NO. 113," Etc.

(Continued from Yesterday.)

Like a well trained husband, Blangin obeyed without saying a word; and then his wife bethought herself how to entertain Denise. She hoped, she said, her dear young lady would do her the honor to take something. That would strengthen her, and, besides, help her to pass the time; for it was only 7 o'clock, and Blangin could not take her to M. de Boiscoran's cell before 10 without great danger.

"But I have dined," Denise objected. "I do not want anything."

The woman insisted all the more. She remembered (God be thanked!) her dear young lady's taste; and she had prepared her an admirable broth, and some beautiful dessert. And, while thus talking she set the table, having made up her mind that Denise must eat at all hazards. The woman's eager zeal had, at least, this advantage—it prevented Denise from giving way to her painful thoughts.

Night at length arrived. It was 9 o'clock; then it struck 10. At last the watch came round to relieve the sentinels, and a quarter of an hour afterwards, Blangin reappeared, carrying a lantern and an enormous bunch of keys.

"I have sent Frumence to bed," he said. "You can come now, mademoiselle."

"Let us go," Denise simply said; and rising from her seat, she followed the jailer along interminable passages, through a vast vaulted hall, in which their steps resounded as in a church, and finally down a long gallery, where, pointing at a massive door, through the cracks of which gleamed a ray of light, Blangin eventually exclaimed, "Here we are."

Denise seized his arm, and in an almost inaudible voice, she murmured: "Wait a moment." She was, in fact, almost overcome by so many successive emotions. She felt her legs give way under her, and her eyes become dim. In her heart she preserved all her usual energy; but if the spirit was willing, the flesh was weak, and seemed to fail her at the last moment.

"Are you ill?" asked the jailer. "What is the matter?"

She prayed God for courage and strength. Then, when her prayer was finished, she said, "Now, let us go in." A great noise of keys and bolts ensued, and then Blangin opened the door leading to Jacques de Boiscoran's cell.

Jacques was no longer counting the days, but the hours. He had been imprisoned on Friday morning, June 23, and this was Wednesday night, June 28. During a hundred and thirty-two hours, he had been—according to Ayrault's terrible expression, "living, but struck of the roll of the living, and buried alive."

Each one of these hundred and thirty-two hours had weighed upon him like a month. He was so pale and haggard, his hair and beard were so disordered, and his eyes shone so brightly—illuminated with the glow of fever—that one would hardly have recognized in him the happy lord of Boiscoran, free from care and trouble, upon whom fortune had ever smiled—that haughty, skeptical young man, who from the blight of the past seemed to defy the future.

The fact is that modern law has invented no more fearful suffering than what is called "solitary confinement." Nothing is more calculated to demoralize a man, crush his will, and utterly conquer the most powerful energy. There is no struggle more distressing than that between a man accused of a crime of which he is innocent, and the examining magistrate prepossessed in favor of his guilt—the struggle of a helpless being held by an enemy armed with unlimited power.

Stunned at first by his sudden arrest and incarceration, Jacques had soon recovered; and by Friday he had grown quiet and confident, talkative and almost cheerful. But Sunday was a fatal day. Two gendarmes carried him off to Boiscoran to be present at the removal of the seals; and on his way he was overwhelmed with insults and curses by the people, who recognized him. He came back terribly distressed. During the whole of Monday he was tortured by the magistrate, and after six hours' examination, when they brought him his dinner, he declared that his health could not stand it, and that they might just as well kill him at once. On Tuesday he received Denise's letter, and answered it. This excited him fearfully and during a part of the night Frumence saw him walk up and down his cell, with the gestures and incoherent imprecations of a madman.

He hoped for a letter on Wednesday, but none came, and he sunk into a kind of stupor, during which M. Galpin-Daveline was quite unable to draw a word from him. When the magistrate left him he sat down facing the window, and resting his head on his elbows, he remained motionless, so deeply absorbed in reverie that he took no notice when the jailer entered his cell with lights. He was still in this state, when, a little after 10 o'clock, he heard the bolts of his cell being drawn back. He had become so well acquainted with the prison that he knew all its regulations. He knew at what hours his meals were brought, at what time Frumence came to clean his room, and when he might expect the magistrate. After nightfall he knew he was his own master till the next morning. So late a visit, therefore, must needs bring him some unexpected news, his liberty, perhaps—that visitor for whom all prisoners look so anxiously.

He started up and as soon as he distinguished the jailer's rugged face, he asked eagerly, "Who wants me?"

Blangin bowed, for he was a polite jailer. "Sir, I bring you a visitor," he replied. And, moving aside, he made way for Denise, or, rather, he pushed her into the room, for she seemed to have lost all power of motion.

"A visitor?" repeated M. de Boiscoran. But the jailer had raised his lantern, and Jacques instantly recognized his betrothed. "What, you?" he cried, "you here!" And saying this, he drew back as though afraid of being deceived by a dream, or by one of those fearful hallucinations which announce the coming of insanity, and seize hold of people's brains in times of over-excitement. "Denise!" he barely whispered. "Denise!"

If Jacques' life, not her own (for she cared nothing for it), had depended on a single word, Denise could not have uttered it. Her throat was parched, and her lips refused to part. "Yes," he said, "it is Mademoiselle Chandore."

"At this hour, in my prison?"

"She had something important to communicate to you. She came to me——"

"Oh Denise!" stammered Jacques, "what a precious friend——"

"And I agreed," said Blangin, in a paternal tone of voice, "to bring her in secretly. It is a great sin I commit; and if it ever should become known—But let one be ever so much a jailer, one has a heart, after all. I tell you so because the young lady might not think of it. If the secret is not kept carefully, I should lose my place, and I am a poor man, with wife and children!"

"You are the best of men!" exclaimed M. de Boiscoran, far from suspecting the price that had been paid for Blangin's sympathy, "and the day I regain my liberty, I will prove to you that we whom you have obliged are not ungrateful."

"I am always at your service," replied the jailer, modestly.

Gradually, however, Denise had recovered her self-possession. "Leave us, now, my good friend," she said gently to Blangin. And as soon as the jailer had disappeared, and without allowing M. de Boiscoran a word, she added, speaking very low—"Jacques, grandpapa has told me that by coming thus to you at night alone, and in secret, I run the risk of losing your affection, and of diminishing your respect."

"Ah, you did not think so!"

"Grandpapa has more experience than I have, Jacques. Still I did not hesitate. Here I am; and I should have run much greater risks; for your honor is at stake, and your honor is my honor, as your life is my life. Your future is at stake, our future, our happiness, all our hopes here below."

Inexpressible joy had illumined the prisoner's face. "O God!" he cried, "one such moment repays for years of torture."

But Denise had sworn to herself that nothing should turn her aside from her purpose. So she continued, "By my mother's sacred memory, I assure you, Jacques, I have never for a moment doubted your innocence."

The unhappy man looked distressed. "You," he said; "but the others! but M. de Chandore?"

"Do you think I should be here, if he thought you were guilty? My aunts and your mother are as sure of your innocence as I am."

"And my father? You said nothing about him in your letter."

"Your father remained in Paris in case some influence in high quarters should have to be appealed to."

Jacques looked downcast. "I am in prison at Sauveterre," he said, "accused of a fearful crime, and my father remains in Paris! It must be true he really never loved me. And yet I have always been a good son to him down to this terrible catastrophe. He has never had to complain of me. No, my father does not love me."

Denise could not allow him to continue in this strain. "Listen to me, Jacques," she said; "let me tell you why I ran the risk of taking this serious step, that may cost me so dearly. I come to you in the name of all your friends, in the name of M. Folgat, the advocate whom your mother has brought down from Paris, and in the name of M. Magloire, in whom you put so much confidence. They all agree you have adopted an abominable system. By refusing obstinately to speak, you ruin voluntarily into the gravest danger. Listen well to what I tell you. If you wait till the examination is over, you are lost. If you are once handed over to the court, it is too late for you to speak. You will, innocent as you are, only make one more on the list of judicial murders."

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Jacques de Boiscoran had listened in silence, his head bowed down, as if to conceal the pallor of his face from Denise. "Alas!" he murmured, when she had finished speaking, "everything you tell me I have told myself more than once."

(To be Continued Tomorrow.)

POLICE ARE USED IN THE EAST END

Republican Workers Arrested in Efforts to Save Twentieth Ward for Clark.

BAIL IS REFUSED FOR THEM

The power of the police was extensively used in the big Twentieth ward of the East End to save the Citizens party organization of Director James W. Clark from defeat. Director Clark is chairman of the remnant of the Citizens party in the city, and also chairman of the organization in the Twentieth ward.

Expecting to retain his present position under the Guthrie administration, he was making a desperate effort to hold his prestige in his own bailiwick. The ward had been conceded to Guthrie by the Republicans in advance of the election, the only question being the size of the majority he would get. A test of Director Clark's strength was to be the fate of his councilmanic candidates, Messrs. Hammer, Ifelnold and Roenigk.

In the Twelfth district, where Joseph C. Wasson, one of the Republican candidates, resides, the police began a systematic intimidation of Republican workers and voters under the instructions of S. S. Lesslie, one of Clark's lieutenants. Lesslie ordered the arrest of R. M. Monahan of 5585 Ellsworth avenue, a Republican worker who is well-known in the ward and who has lived at his present residence for six years.

Arrested by His Neighbor.

Monahan was doing effective work for the Republican ticket, when Lesslie instructed Policemen John Sullivan and John Kerr to take Monahan in custody. A charge of being a suspicious character was trumped up against him and Monahan was taken to the East End police station about 11 o'clock in the morning and kept there the entire day.

Policeman Sullivan lives next door to Monahan in Ellsworth avenue and knew he was not a suspicious character, but a law-abiding citizen, yet he obeyed orders and locked up his neighbor on a false charge. The two officers also arrested about the same time another Republican worker whom Lesslie wanted to get rid of. J. P. Dabbs of 5876 Ellsworth avenue was taken to the police station, also charged with being a suspicious character, although well known and for years a resident of the ward and district.

Former Councilman John A. Murphy offered bail for the men, and Police Magistrate E. C. Negley accepted the bail and ordered Monahan released, but Inspector Milton Bailey refused to release either man. He declared he would not release them without an order of court. Bailey called up Director Moore, and the latter told Bailey to "stand pat." Bailey "stood pat" until late in the evening, when it was too late to find an alderman to give bail and secure the release of the men in time for them to vote or do any work at the polls.

This Man Soon Released.

Lloyd Pritchard, a Union Labor party watcher in the Seventh district of the Twenty-first ward, attempted to put up a fake notice at the polling place announcing that Charles Ross, one of the Republican candidates for councils, had withdrawn. M. H. Gottschall, secretary of the Republican ward committee, attempted to prevent Pritchard from posting the notice, and Pritchard struck him in the face, smashing his glasses and badly cutting and bruising him. Information against Pritchard was made by W. A. Means, Jr., before Magistrate Negley, and Pritchard went to the East End police station and gave himself up. Councilman Robert Porter furnishing bail for him.

Robert Poindexter, a negro Jenkinson worker, was arrested at the polling place in the First district of the Twentieth ward, Alderman Walker's office. Director Clark's men ordered Policeman William Holmes to arrest Poindexter. He was locked up at the East End station all day.

Willis Johnston, a negro worker for Jenkinson, of 11 Dick street, was arrested at Larimer avenue and Meadow street by Detective Homer Crooks. Crooks charged Johnston with being a suspicious person.

GREAT CROWDS THRONG STREETS TO GET RETURNS

All Classes of Citizens Show Marked Interest in the Election—The Gazette Bulletin Service Maintains Its Usual Superiority.

Everybody and his brother was out to get the election returns. The crowds that thronged the downtown streets of the city last night were larger than those of several previous campaigns and in marked contrast to the limited and noiseless gathering that learned of the election of John B. Larkin as controller last year.

The boy with the lusty voice who is willing to use it regardless of result's was omnipresent, and elbowed his way with the clerk who had his sister on his arm, and the merchant and banker, in an effort to get within reading distance of the bulletin boards.

The man who finds it necessary to enter newspaper offices and interfere with the bulletin-receiving machinery in order to ask how many districts there are in Allegheny, and how many votes Hays had in the Twenty-first ward three years ago, was very much in evidence; while the man who has not the ambition to come downtown and see for himself monopolized the telephone service of the newspapers by asking for hourly bulletins for his private and individual benefit. Nevertheless, the presence and interest of all the characters that go to make up municipal citizenship was an evidence of general interest and clearly indicated the campaign just closed was eagerly watched by the eyes of the public.

As usual, the well-known impartiality, speed, efficiency and accuracy of The Gazette bulletin service attracted the largest crowd congregated in the city, at Wood street and Oliver avenue, last night. The unequaled light, the immense window space which permits the posting of a score of bulletines at one time, and the great area afforded for standing room offered further inducements to attract the great crowds, which at no time numbered less than 2,500 persons, and often greatly exceeded that number.

The well-known impartiality of The Gazette bulletin service was appreciated by Guthrie and Jenkinson adherents alike, and this was proved by the lusty cheers that followed the posting of every bulletin, regardless of the indications of victory it bore. The earliest news was received and posted from the headquarters of both parties, and as an indication of fairness regardless of personal political leanings it might be cited that the very first of the hundreds of bulletins posted by The Gazette last night was the following: "Guthrie adherents offer to bet 3 to 1 that Guthrie will have 7,500 majority." This bulletin was posted at 7:40 o'clock. A special corps of representatives, aided by a dozen messenger boys, insured the viewers of The Gazette of the very earliest returns from Allegheny, which as early as 8 o'clock in the evening pronounced an overwhelming victory of Charles Kirschler for the mayoralty.

Lutherans Hold Quarterly Convention.

The Allegheny County Lutheran Sunday School association's quarterly convention in Christ Lutheran church, Millvale, Monday evening, had an excellent attendance. The subject, "Our Association," was discussed, the Rev. John Weidley presenting a paper on "What It Has Accomplished," and the Rev. J. H. Hoover discussing "Its Aims." The Rev. W. F. Richardson of Swissvale gave an address on "How Can a Teacher Obtain Best Results in Teaching." The next meeting will be held at Emanuel Lutheran church, West Elna.

ELMENDORF'S TRAVELS.

Tomorrow Evening the Tourists Will Visit Egypt, the Ancient.

Last Thursday evening, at the Pittsburgh Carnegie music hall, Dwight Elmendorf, the popular travel lecturer, left his fellow travelers on the north coast of Africa, resting after a delightful season spent in a fascinating study of the peoples and their customs, and after a charming season of travel amid the wonderful scenery of that country. Tomorrow evening Mr. Elmendorf will resume his travels and guide those who go with him out of Africa into Egypt, the ancient, the mother of all nations.

Entering Cairo, that jewel city which is set at the apex of the great delta of the Nile, Mr. Elmendorf will not use the beaten track of the tourist, but will head toward the trackless desert. As in the opening lecture, a host of beautiful motion pictures and "telephotographs" will accompany the interesting and instructive narrative, which Mr. Elmendorf contrives to weave around his wanderings in those far distant climes.

CAR GOES OVER EMBANKMENT AND IGNITES FROM STOVE

A rear-end collision between an engine and several freight cars on the Fort Wayne railroad, near the Ohio connecting bridge, yesterday morning threw one of the cars over an embankment and upset a stove in it, setting fire to the car. The traffic on the main line was tied up for some time because of the collision.

BAPTIST CONFERENCE ENDS SESSIONS HERE

Hold Large Meeting in Fourth Avenue Church and Listen to Two Addresses.

The missionary and evangelistic conference of the Baptist churches of Southwestern Pennsylvania closed a two days session last night with a large public meeting in the Fourth Avenue Baptist church, presided over by the Hon. H. Kirke Porter. The addresses were delivered by the Rev. Drs. W. H. Geistweit and E. E. Chivers. "The Faith That Makes Faithful" was the subject upon which Dr. Geistweit spoke. The Rev. Dr. Chivers centered his remarks on what he chose to call an optimistic view of the present religious conditions. The meeting was opened with a praise service led by H. Ewalt, and closed with a devotional service conducted by the Rev. Dr. H. C. Mable.

At the session yesterday afternoon it was decided to send resolutions to the officials at Washington urging upon them the necessity of taking immediate action to suppress the reported atrocities in the Kongo Free State. The Rev. George W. Taft presided over the session, and the principal address was delivered by the Rev. Dr. Geistweit. "The Duplex Envelope" and "Opportunities for Service" were topics discussed by the Revs. D. Percy French and H. E. Rankin. The "quiet hour" was conducted by the Rev. Dr. Woelfkin.

The Rev. S. G. Neil, who has recently been elected secretary of the American Publication society at Philadelphia, delivered his inaugural address at the morning session, taking as his theme, "Present Day Evangelism." A short address was given by the Rev. Dr. M. C. Mason. The session was presided over by the Rev. A. R. Stark, and the devotional service at the close were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Mable.

FINES BRIDGE CO. $5,000.

Must Pay That Sum for Refusing to Raise the Structure Over the Allegheny River.

The Union Bridge Company has been ordered to pay a fine of $5,000 and costs by Judge Buffington in the United States court for refusing to raise the bridge over the Allegheny river in compliance with an order of the secretary of war. The bridge, it is claimed, is an obstruction to navigation, and when the bridge officials refused to raise the structure a criminal information was made. Under instructions of the court a verdict of guilty was rendered. Judge Buffington later filed an opinion against the bridge company. An appeal will be taken to the supreme court.

Habeas corpus proceedings were instituted for the release of Charles Schmenke from jail. He was arrested on a charge of deserting his wife in New York, and as no one has come to take him back he wants his release. The writ is returnable today.

George W. Guthrie was a witness yesterday in a case of George W. Guthrie, as trustee of the estate of Malcolm Hays and others, against John A. Chambers, which is on trial in No. 3 court. It is an action in ejectment, a 60-acre farm in Jefferson township being at stake.

KAUFMANN'S "THE BIG STORE"

BIG THREE IN MEN'S FOOTWEAR

Stetson's $5 and $6 Men's Shoes..... 2.59 | Crossett's $4 and $5 Men's Shoes..... 2.59 | What's Left of Lange's Fine Shoes..... 2.59

Men who prize foot comfort and would gladly cross the street to pick up a $2 bill will be quick to come for shoes of these renowned makes.

KAUFMANN'S "THE BIG STORE"

In the history of clothing selling in Pittsburg Here's the event that caps the climax.

CULMINATION OF A TROPICAL WINTER—Three tremendous purchases of big surplus stocks. Now for a surpassing Clothing Sale that will rank as the event of first magnitude in the trade history of this remarkable season. A Men's Suit manufacturer of renown, a concern famous for its Overcoats, and a great Men's Trouser's Specialty House all surrendered to us their overstocks at the same time—let us have them at prices that bury all precedents. We transmit to our customers the full force of this saving opportunity. Opening of this sale an electrifying success. Record-breaking midwinter crowds are jumping at this chance.

$5.75 FOR SUITS OVERCOATS TOPCOATS ULSTERS & RAINCOATS WORTH $10 AND $12

LOW WATER MARK PRICE. These are not $5.75 garments, mind you—we don't sell $5.75 Suits and Overcoats—never have—they are not good enough—they don't measure up to the Kaufmann standard. These are really $10 and $12 Suits and Overgarments that came into our possession at such a tremendous price concession that we can let them go at $5.75. No room to dwell on details. No need to—customers would rather see than read. See them soon, however.

$9.75 FOR SUITS OVERCOATS TOPCOATS RAINCOATS ETC., ETC., WORTH $16 TO $22

WAKE UP TO THIS—The fine all-wool garments piled on the tables under this price card are the latest approved Winter styles in colors and cuts that have the sanction of careful dressers this season. Among them are a liberal proportion of the blacks, blues and dark mixtures whose popularity never passes away—the safest of garments to buy for future wear, both this Winter and next. They're going swiftly.

$13.75 FOR SUITS OVERCOATS TOPCOATS RAINCOATS WORTH $25 $28 AND $30

ARISTOCRATS OF THE CLOTHING FAMILY at the usual price of the less pretentious garments. The luxurious fabrics in silk lined Suits; the finest silk-lined Topcoats—the swell Paddocks and Tourist Overcoats in fine dark materials—the genteel and three-quarter length Overcoats in woolens that satisfy men of quiet tastes—the swagger high-grade raincoats—all these at a price which is a unique, original and delightful experience.

Men's $1.75 and $2 Trousers — This is the quality of almost one-half the big piles of Men's Pants, well tailored from fancy cheviots, black cheviots, worsteds and cassimeres, neatly trimmed, and going for $1

Men's $3.50 and $4.50 Trousers — Black cheviots and worsteds and fancy cassimeres, worsteds and cheviots, in the extreme or conservative cuts—not at value, but for..... 2.50

Men's $6 and $7 Trousers — The right sort of fine Trousers in the neatest stripes and the best dark effects. Cut on fashionable lines for dressy wear—the kind that show hand-tailoring throughout $4

Boys Care How They Look

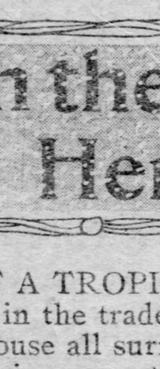
Blue Serge Suits for "Buster Browns"

1.95

Well worth $3.50.

The cute little fellows of 2½ to 8 yrs. will look all the cuter in these cute little suits, and you'll be pleased with the way they're made. Note the careful tailoring, the length of the coats, the neat box pleated fronts and the pretty red, white or black embroidery on the sleeves. The bigger boys up to 15 years will be pleased with the Two-Piece Double-Breasteds.

Tip-top, Will Your Boy Look in One of These Nobby Topcoats



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They're made of neat, dressy oxford and tan covert cloths; cleverly tailored and trimmed to give their wearers that air of manliness they hanker after. The illustration shows just how they look. All sizes 3 to 16.

Boys' All-Wool Knee Pants — Strongly made of blue and black cheviots or fancy mixtures; all the larger sizes with belt loops; sizes to fit all boys of 2½ to 16 yrs.; pants that you'd think cheap at 75c become a foremost Wednesday feature at..... 48c

Half-Hose, Half Price

Men's 50c German and French Half Hose Today for 25c.

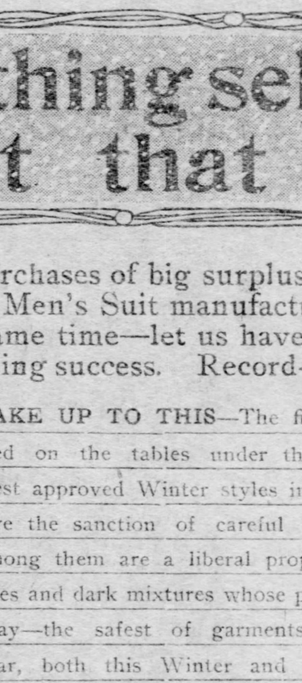
The New York selling agent for several German and French manufacturers making only high-grade Hosiery, asked us to help him "clean up." We did, and secured a couple of hundred dozen pairs of Men's Fancy Hose on a Half-Price basis. Only a few dozen of a pattern, so you can imagine the assortment. All made with full fashioned foot, double heels, toes and soles. Bought in the regular way 50c would be the price, but Half-Price purchasing by "The Big Store" means Half-Price Selling. And so the men of Pittsburgh get these fine Hose Today at..... 25c

Spring's Just Around the Corner

Women's Spring Tailor-Mades — Fifteen lovely models of chic and charming New Spring Suits, made of fine novelty worsteds, English mixtures and checks. Princess style with dainty eton coat, nobby hip-length jacket or blouse effect, with deep fitted girdle; beautified with braids, silks and tailored straps. Three-quarter or full length sleeves. Skirts pleated, new circular style with bias folds at bottom. Suits that anyone would think you paid $25 for, here Today at..... 16.50

Winsome Lingerie Waists — Women of taste and refinement in matters of dress will think most favorably of these new models — made of fine Batiste, Persian Lawn and Mull; tastily trimmed with insertions of Val. lace and Swiss embroidery; or with Motifs of Irish Crochet Lace; or with lovely all-over embroidery front or beautifully stitched. Real $2.50 and $3 waists—that's what these are at..... 1.90

Charming India Silk Waists — Some white, some black, with dainty insertions of Val. lace forming a yoke; others with embroidered fronts, tucks and shirring—the $4 values will sell for $2.90 —the $3.50 ones for..... 2.49



Most Graceful Models of Handsome Skirts — Made of very fine English Novelty Worsteds, Chiffon and plain Panamas, Mixtures, Silks, Voiles, Broadcloths, Cheviots and the newest Scotch Plaids. All fashioned very full. Some pleated; some with sunburst pleats, and some have the new wide flare circular effect with deep folds. Skirts that belong to the $7.50 and $8 class. Today at..... 6.90

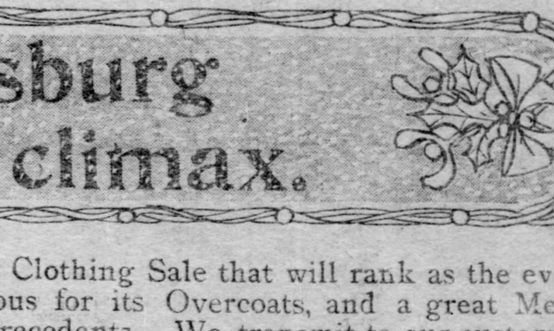
Authentic Spring Styles in suits that possess many distinctive points of beauty are those in this $25 line. The sweetest little eton, blouse, pony jacket and tight-fitting hip-length jacket styles. Beautified with hand-embroideries, tailored straps and rich braids. Three-quarter or full-length sleeves. Newest and richest shades of Alice blue, green, heliotrope, violet, lavender, old rose, navy and black. Superb, stunning suits, having a $35 value..... $25

Misses' and Girls' Skirts—A splendid group of stylish skirts that'll please the girls and their mammas. Made of fine all-wool materials, in plain colors and new mixtures. New flare styles with pleated front and back, and other styles. 34 to 39-in. lengths. Skirts taken from our $6.98 lines and remarked..... $5

Misses' and Small Women's Suits —Made of fine all-wool broadcloths and English mixtures, in the new eton and fancy jacket styles. New circular skirts, with long or short sleeves. Sizes 14 to 18 yrs. Suits that should be $25, at..... 14.85

Women's Jaunty Spring Coats—Made of very fine light or dark tan covert cloth, or excellent quality black broadcloth. Tight-fitting hip-length models in the newest buttoned-through or fly front effects with full coat sleeves and notched or flat stitched collar. Lined with satin or taffeta silk. The real value $15.00..... $10

PAY HAT BETS HERE



If you wagered a hat on the outcome of the election and lost, do the right thing by the winner. Bring him to our hat department and see that he gets a spring shape that looks well on him.

DID YOU BET A $5 HAT? Pay this wager with a John B. Stetson, which the dress experts concede to be the best made. Our price is only..... 3.50

DID YOU BET A $4 Hat? To meet this obligation we would suggest one of the "Imperial" makes, which come in more than 57 distinct styles and effects for spring—both soft and stiff—for which our price is only..... 2.90

DID YOU BET A $3 HAT? You can pay up gracefully with one of "Progress" Derbies or Soft Hats. This brand is applied to copies of the finest and best hats in the world, and our price for them is only..... 1.90

Take Off Your Hat to This Timely Special

We come to the front Today with 110 dozen New Spring Hats, made on our own selected blocks—both

DERBIES AND SOFT HATS

made of A No. 1 Nutria stock, with best silk trimmings—every 1.35

SPORTING FINANCIAL

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

PITTSBURGH, WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 21, 1906.—PAGES 9 TO 16.

PROFESSIONAL SPORTING BY JOHN H. GRUBER.

CALUMET HOCKEY SEVEN DROPS FOURTH GAME TO PITTSBURGH TEAM

COLLEGE AND NON-PROFESSIONAL SPORTING BY RICHARD R. GUY.

PITTSBURGH WINS FROM CALUMET

Westerners Are Defeated in a Fast Exhibition Game by Score of 4 to 0.

LOCALS RELEASE KENT

The Pittsburgh and Calumet hockey teams played an exhibition game last night at Duquesne garden, the locals winning, 4 to 1. All the scores were made in the first half.

Pittsburgh again outplayed the visitors, "Dunc" Taylor refereed, and he did very well. He kept the game clean. Toward the close of the second half he removed Garnet Sixsmith for taking a punch at Gardner, the Calumet captain.

Campbell shot the first goal on a pass from Stuart, who took the rubber up the field. Baird and Garnet Sixsmith went up to gather, and Campbell shot the second, getting the pass from Baird. Baird went through the field alone and passed to Arthur Sixsmith, who shot the third goal. The Sixsmith brothers and Baird went up three abreast, and G. Sixsmith shot. Strike secured a goal for Calumet toward the end of the half on a pass from Corbeau. The lineup:

Pittsburgh—4.		Calumet—1.
Winchester	G	Nicholson
Baird	F	Corbeau
Stuart	C. P.	Bellefeniile, Shields
A. Sixsmith	F	McDonald
Campbell	C	Strike
G. Sixsmith	R. W.	Scott
Roberts	L. W.	Gardner

Pittsburgh has released Kent, the wing man. Garnet Sixsmith will play right wing in the remaining games.

SIXTH FORM WINS IN THE SHADYSIDE LEAGUE

The Sixth form, B division, easily defeated the Fifth form in the interclass basketball game at Shadyside academy yesterday afternoon, 53 to 10. This was the final game before the two Sixth form teams meet next Tuesday afternoon for the supremacy of the school. Neither of these teams have as yet lost a game, and, considering the rivalry existing between them, a redhot contest may be looked for when they come together. Neither captain has issued a statement, but nevertheless both are confident that their respective teams will win the game. Yesterday's score:

Sixth—53.		Fifth—10.
Babst	F	Miller
Wharton, Heron	F	Goff
McCoy, Dickey	C	Sutton
Lally	C	Russell
Herd	G	Morrison

Field goals—Babst 8, Wharton 6, Heron 3, McCoy 5, Herd 2, Dickey, Lally, Miller 2, Goff, Sutton. Foul goals—Babst 3, Goff 3. Referee—Shetler.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
6 Form (A)	3	0	1000	4 Form	1	2	.250
6 Form (B)	3	0	1000	3 Form	1	3	.250
5 Form	1	3	.200				

Points scored by—Six A, 45, 34, 22—101. Six B, 19, 30, 53—102.

INDOOR TENNIS MATCHES.

Annual National Championship Begins in New York Armory.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—The seventh annual lawn tennis tournament for the indoor national championship began today on the courts in the Seventh regiment armory in this city. Twenty-one players of the ranking class are entered in the singles. Hugh Tallant, a former Harvard player, won the feature match of the day by defeating W. B. Crain, Jr., Seventh regiment, by a one-sided score; W. C. Grant, ex-indoor champion, and H. L. Westfall of Kings county, Brooklyn, were also winners. The latter defeated A. L. Hoskins of Pennsylvania after a hard match, 22 games being necessary to decide the final set. Summary:

National championship singles, first round—W. C. Grant, New York Lawn Tennis club, beat W. Rosenbaum, Bedford Park Lawn Tennis club, 6—3, 6—4.

Second round—H. Tallant, West Side Lawn Tennis club, beat W. B. Cragin, Jr., Seventh regiment, 6—1, 6—1; H. L. Westfall, Kings county, beat A. L. Hoskins, Belmont Cricket club, Philadelphia, 6—1, 12—10; T. R. Pell, New York Lawn Tennis club, beat Dr. H. P. Hawk, Belmont Cricket club of Philadelphia, by default.

Allegheny High School Loses.

At Allegheny High school—

Collegians—18.		Ally H. S.—17.
Fincke	F	Thompson
Billinger	F	Albrecht
Clayton	C	
Yoedt	G	Gray
Sternagle	G	R. Weger

Goals from field—Fincke 6, Billinger, Thompson 2, Albrecht, R. Weger 2. Goals from foul—Fincke 4, Thompson 6. Referee—Meisel. Time of halves—20 minutes.

Record Bowling at Washington.

WASHINGTON, PA., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—In an exhibition series of three games here today the Six-footers team of the Association Bowling league broke the record for high team score, securing a total of 2,754 pins. Remarkable bowling was done by Lane, who had an average of 204 2-3 and a total of 614 pins for three games. The high score in the first two games ran over 900 pins.

GAZETTE RACE SELECTIONS.

CITY PARK, NEW ORLEANS.

First race—Major Carpenter, Miss Jordan Clique.

Second race—Creel, Loch Goil, Woodshade.

Third race—Ezra, Flying Charcoal, Knowledge.

Fourth race—Parisienne, Sheen, Jack Adams.

Fifth race—St. Joseph, Uchiniigo, Jack Dolan.

Sixth race—Oakgrove, Wickford, Skyward.

Seventh race—Wogglebug, Morendo, Manoeuvre.

FAIR GROUNDS, NEW ORLEANS.

First race—Dan McKenna, Triple Silver, Norwood Ohio.

Second race—Balashed, Blacksnake, Big Store.

Third race—Whipporwhill, Auru Master, Sonoma Belle.

Fourth race—DeResske, Peter Paul, Collector Jessup.

Fifth race—Nones, Colonist, Cashier.

Sixth race—Beechwood, Usury, Rhinock.

FINE WORK ON BOWLING ALLEYS

Ungers, Against the Bloomfield Team, Make an Average of 922.

NICKEL ROLLS AT A 200 GAIT

The Ungers last night on the St. Joseph alleys went into the season's record-breaking business by rolling an average of 922, the best made this season. They rolled 876 in the first game and 954 in the second, finishing with 856. The scores of 200 were rather common, H. Hungerman getting two of them. Walter Nickel made an even 200 average and was the boss bowler. For the Bloomfields Gollesoth did the best work. He made high score of 189 and got an average of 175. However the Bloomfields were never in the hunt. Scores:

Ungers—				Bloomfield—			
Milfelt	202	195	145	Gemperle	153	153	164
Dienstbier	182	168	153	Shuter	156	160	169
H. Hung	219	176	202	Gallsath	183	159	177
Nickel	198	222	180	Egerster	144	149	141
Meyers	184	189	170	Herg	157	188	149
Totals	976	934	856	Totals	798	815	781

In the Westinghouse Clerks' league on the East Pittsburgh alleys last night, Section S. won two games from Section B. Shiring had high score and best average. Scores:

Section B—				Section S.—			
Hensler	155	148	143	Simon	131	183	170
Breen	159	144	142	Rankin	156	153	132
Dean	189	167	169	Kuhns	147	131	138
Baker	126	124	119	Wheeler	153	153	146
Meyer	110	132	166	Shiring	177	156	189
Totals	739	716	739	Totals	728	785	785

Following are the results of the games played in the church league on the Great Eastern alleys. The Trentons won the first two games in easy fashion, but fell by the wayside in the last. Read was the best bowler.

Trenton—				Negleys—			
C. Dium	186	112	155	Cole	100	138	112
McClelland	123	199	103	R. Lucas	100	134	145
Fox	131	138	103	Baird	131	132	114
Lewis	169	169	140	O. Lucas	121	103	109
Read	178	179	126	Gable	122	164	125
Totals	762	728	637	Totals	574	673	656

The Arsenals last night rolled one of the best matches ever seen on the St. Augustine's alleys when they met the Electrics of Bloomfield. They put up two 900 and one 800 score, averaging 891. H. Kerner had high score of 222 and Leo Scholl had high average of 192 1-3. Scores:

Arsenals—				Electrics—			
H. Kerner	222	178	144	Meyer	150	128	172
L. Scholl	204	195	176	Kent	155	149	122
Kleinfelder	154	163	165	Niedy	159	139	106
Gallilot	158	149	170	Hungerman	149	177	154
Schmidt	178	192	169	Nelson	165	167	142
Totals	916	904	853	Totals	781	760	676

West Etna won two games from the Sharpsburg Centrals last night on their own alleys, Austen rolling high score of 182 and obtaining high average of 159. Scores:

West Etna—				Centrals—			
Thomas	142	145	169	Shook	145	148	160
Vidt	127	115	116	Mihlhauzer	131	145	115
Austen	182	132	160	Knels	123	159	142
Price	158	111	157	Wallace	147	122	117
Thompson	134	167	147	Merdian	134	136	171
Totals	743	670	749	Totals	690	710	705

Eight of the twelve teams of the Mercantile league participated in their regular scheduled meet on the Club alleys last night. Some good, ba dand indifferent scores were made. The Johnston company had the honor of making the highest score of the night, 888, and the McCreery's chalked up the best average. Matt was the star performer, with two 200 scores, also high score of 216 and the fine average of 196 1-3. Newcomer, Bradshaw, Patterson and Taylor made good averages. Scores:

Oil Well Supply—				McCreery & Co.—			
Duggan	168	175	147	Newcomer	206	183	169
Girdwood	185	167	122	Call	176	184	117
Rayburn	165	139	141	Matt	171	202	216
Patterson	187	167	176	Bradshaw	176	188	151
Bliss	189	152	143	Primean	128	172	159
Totals	871	800	729	Totals	867	880	842

Johnston & Co.—				Arbuthnot & S. Co.—			
Peter	190	124	178	Hartung	166	116	146
Kalen	178	199	155	Tweed	150	146	142
Ray	168	141	161	Helwig	152	154	138
Whiteside	153	134	139	White	169	..	161
Cooper	163	144	168	Orr	157	147	162
				Baker	113	..	..
Totals	888	703	801	Totals	785	676	745

Phila. Co.—				Bailey-Farrell—			
Taylor	126	180	197	Bryar	..	..	127
Dennison	147	134	127	Moore	167	156	120
Lilliquist	113	150	123	McNorton	115	117	98
Smith	165	158	152	Weber	..	88	114	130
Gormley	158	145	189	Kelley	168	125	132
				Harder	..	91	80
Totals	711	767	783	Totals	676	603	569

Kidlets—				Rauh Bros. Co.—			
McLain	149	115	169	Trapp	143	103	117
Hastings	141	121	182	J. Balliet	157	128	149
McGregor	112	117	116	Johnson	134	143	104
Koerbel	137	178	184	Goldstein	167	121	116
Myers	137	144	178	W. Balliet	133	119	170
Totals	676	675	821	Totals	734	614	620

The Federals and Ahlborns of the Allegheny County duckpin league rolled off a postponed game on the Federal alleys last night, the Federals took two out of three games, losing the second game by a single pin. Scores:

Federals—				Ahlborns—			
Pfeffer	96	91	85	Kirk	..	82	84
Simbach	78	88	80	Closs	78	107	93
Dietz	80	89	110	Eller	82	82	95
McHugh	96	92	91	Bechtel	..	81	93
Schad	86	83	89	Owens	79	92	80
				Nimick	74	..	..
				Meyer	69	..	..
Totals	426	443	454	Totals	383	444	440

On the Southern alleys, last night, in an exhibition match, the Southern Specials defeated the Birminghams two out of three games. Some good scores were chalked up all around, and in the second game the Specials totaled up the fine score of 942. McCaan was the high roller, with the fine score of 244, and F. Dapper had best average of 187 1-3. He was closely followed by Mary, who had an average of 187. O. Stock made the second highest score of the contest when he chalked up the good game of 228. Scores:

Southern Special—				Birmingham—			
Williams	149	190	168	Loher	183	140	147
Mary	187	197	177	Fink	144	144	124
McCaan	147	244	160	O. Stock	125	171	228
Erny	145	146	145	F. Dapper	161	207	190
Young	169	155	183	Fassold	170	199	193
Totals	797	942	802	Totals	789	861	882

In the Inter-club league last night the Bellfields defeated the Bellevues two out of three games. Dalbey was the star bowler with high score of 214 and the fine average of 187 1-3. Scores:

Bellefield—				Bellevue—			
Fawcett	167	140	158	Conner	172	156	191
Dalbey	214	187	191	Tipper	126	165	132
Irwin	168	145	145	Church	132	155	155
Giles	164	182	176	Schwerd	126	118	169
Jack	147	148	135	Obey	123	164	129
Totals	845	777	792	Totals	699	782	786

Teams in the Allegheny County league are not scheduled to bowl any more this week, as no games are booked to take place on holidays or on the eve of holidays. However, the Troy Hills and Millvale Independents will roll off a postponed match on Friday on the Troy Hill alleys.

The South Side Independents will not be able to roll the Mt. Washington team this week, but will announce the date later in The Gazette.

On the Southern alleys, last night, Tad Hirsch defeated Louis Zimmerman three straight games for $25 a side. The scores were: Hirsch, 179, 184, 235; Zimmerman, 167, 176, 219.

New Friday will be ladies' day for the Twin City league on the Federal alleys. Manager Metzgar yesterday began to erect seats for the accommodation of the ladies.

The Wilmerding-East Pittsburgh match was not rolled last night, but has been postponed to some future date. It was through a misunderstanding that the match was scheduled for last night.

The East Pittsburgh-Munhall match in the Monongahela section will be rolled on March 7, the last day of the season.

Ward Brown of the Braddock team is requested to report on the East Pittsburgh alleys without fail on Friday.

Chicago delegates will go to the Louisville convention uninstructed, but Philadelphia will be their choice for 1907. Chicago, however, is not entirely out of the running, as a company will be formed to secure financial backing to run a tournament and this company will undertake to hold a national tournament either next year or 1908 in Chicago. In all probability Chicago will land the 1908 event, preferring to let Philadelphia have the 1907 contest in order not to antagonize the east, which has relolned the congress this season, after a split of several years.

Milwaukee claims that it will be represented at the Pittsburgh bowling tournament by more delegates than any other city in the country excepting Chicago and possibly Louisville. Eight bowlers were elected and, as a number of teams are expected to join the city organization it is probable that two more delegates will be added to the list, which will give Milwaukee but one less vote than Chicago in the affairs of the American Bowling congress.

The Second National bank of Pittsburgh will bowl the Citizens National bank of Washington a match game on the Fifth Avenue alleys tomorrow.

Saturday afternoon the Field club will meet the Washington (Pa.) Midgets on the Fifth Avenue alleys.

High score duckpin bowlers for the cash prizes on the Wylie Avenue alleys are as follows: M. Stemel, 120; E. Penton, 108; Schultz, 105.

SCHEDULE FOR TONIGHT

South Pittsburgh league—Southern vs. Birmingham, on Southern alleys.

Bankers' league—On Club alleys.

Liberty Valley league—Centrals vs. Meadows, on Penn Avenue alleys.

Amateur league—Standards vs. Boehlers, on Wylie Avenue alleys.

Allegheny County Duckpin league—Libertys vs. Majesties; Federals vs. Royals; Casinos vs. Wilkinsburgs; Mt. Washingtons vs. Ahlberns; Imperials vs. Great Easterns; Southerns vs. Arlingtons.

TWO SCORES OF 900.

They Are Chalked Up by the Maccabees and the Forsters of the Twin Citys.

In a postponed games in the Twin City league, on the Federal alleys last night, the Maccabees won two out of three games from the Fosters. Some good scores were the result of the contest. In the start-off, the Maccabees chalked up the fine score of 901, and the Fosters came back in the second with 915. Kummer was the star with high score and best average. Cook and Dimling were also in the double century column. Scores:

Maccabees—				Fosters—			
Braun	156	150	168	Ormiston	154	185	142
Buskirk	173	132	145	McKenzie	154	185	142
Fosnight	162	192	173	Dimling	127	200	128
Cook	205	127	197	Meisner	127	189	162
Kummer	206	176	176	Gillespie	171	160	184
Totals	901	777	859	Totals	767	915	772

Following is the schedule of the Twin City league, on the Federal alleys, Friday night: Black Diamonds vs. Xanthas, Black Bears vs. Fosters, Pioneers vs. Maccabees, Lehighs vs. Premiers.

Niles Bowler Issues a Challenge.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Charles Crow of Niles announces that he is ready to accept the challenge of Ernest Shay of this city to meet any bowler in the Trolley league, being willing to match either Howard Mason of Niles or Christy W. Deibel of Youngstown against Shay for any amount of money the latter is willing to risk. Crow is willing that the match games take place in Youngstown or Niles, but not in New Castle. This practically makes the match impossible.

Tamaqua Is Beaten.

BUTLER, PA., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—The Tamaqua basketball team, champions of eastern Pennsylvania, were easily defeated, 51 to 22, by the Butler Independents in the Y. M. C. A. The score was as follows:

Butler—51.		Tamaqua—22.
Kummer	F	Allen
Ralston	F	O'Donnell
McLafferty	C	Mulliner
Gerner	G	Wilson
Walt Klingensmith	G	Hough

Goals from field—Kummer, 5; Ralston, 7; McLafferty, 8; Gerner, 1; Klingensmith, 1; Allen, 1; Odonnell, 1; Mulliner, 3; Hough, 2. Goals from foul—Ralston, 3; Hough, 2. Fouls called—On Butler, 6; on Tamaqua, 4.

AMONG THE BOXERS.

Frank Gotch and Charles Hackenschmidt are matched to wrestle at St. Louis next Friday.

Paul Moore will be the star at the Business Men's club in one of the bouts the coming Saturday night.

There is but little noise made about the fight at Los Angeles on Friday between Marvin Hart and Tommy Burns.

Patsy Brannigan and Young Loundry will meet in a preliminary to the Martin Rennekamp fight at Esplen tonight.

Jimmy Gardner and Willie Lewis box three rounds before the Metropolitan Athletic club, of New York, on Thursday next.

The A. A. U. boxing contests will take place at San Francisco on April 4 or 5 under the auspices of the Olympia A. C.

Rube Ferns and Matty Matthews, who are both classed as "has beens," have been matched to box in Buffalo February 26.

Big Al Kaufman will not come east. He may be signed to fight Sam Berger at Oakland. Billy Delaney is managing Kaufmann.

Jimmy Ryan would like to meet Harry McGraw and Harry Walling would like to meet anybody at from 122 to 125 pounds, at the South side club's show on Friday.

The bantam boxing championship of England is scheduled to take place before the London National Sporting club February 26, the contestants being Ike Bradley and "Digger" Stanley.

Jock Phenicie will have to tackle quite a fighter next Monday night at Johnstown. It was announced through a mistake the other day that the contest was to have been last Monday, but this was an error.

Larry Temple is getting in fine shape for the hard contest that he is to have at East Pittsburgh next Tuesday night with George Cole, the middleweight fighter, who put up a fine bout with him at Altoona some time ago. A good feature of the coming show is that it will be started in time to allow the Pittsburghers time to catch the train back at 11:35.

Al Martin and Young Rennekamp will meet at Esplen tonight. Martin says he is in fine shape and if defeated, will have no excuse to make. After his contest with Rennekamp he will go up to Derry, Pa., with Patsy Brannagan and Harry Manheim to finish up his training for his contest with Bert Ackerman of Latrobe at the Latrobe Opera house on February 28.

The manager of Kid Tyler would like to mach his man to meet any featherweight in this section from 122 to 124 pounds. Jimmy Dunn or Joe Alton of the South Side preferred. He will put up forfeit for weight and appearance for his man any time Alton or his manager put up. He thinks this would be a good card for some club manager to take in hand, as both lately claim the championship of the state at that weight. Tyler is willing to fight six or 10 rounds, winner to take all.

Charles W. Wedemeyer writes The Gazette from Wellsville, O., as follows: "I would like to hear from some of the Pittsburgh wrestlers. I am known as the Wellsville middleweight, and would like to meet some of the Pittsburgh wrestlers on the mat. I was formerly a wrestling partner of Tom Jenkins of Cleveland, and the Cuban Wonder, and have met nearly all of the noted wrestlers of the country. My weight is 155 pounds, but will give or take six pounds in a best two of three match. Would like to hear in regards to an exhibition bout or a straight match."

SLOPPY TRACKS ARE THE ORDER

Derby Candidate Hollowmas Beaten on the New Orleans Track by St. Valentine.

GOOD COLT SHOT AT ASCOT

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 20.—Hollowmas, Johnson & Doson's derby candidate, was pitted against a small but select field of older horses at the Fair Grounds today. The race was a sixteenth of a mile shorter than the derby distance and the colt, favorite in the betting, could never get within striking distance of St. Valentine, who was driven hard at the end to stall off Monaco Maid. Hyacinth and Rainland were the other beaten favorites. The track was fast early in the afternoon, but was muddy after the third race. Summaries:

First race, 3½ furlongs—Al Powell, 114, W. Robbins, 3 to 2, won; Schroeder's Midway, 110, Livingston, 50 to 1, second; Our Own, 102, L. Smith, 8 to 1, third. Time, :44. Miss Martha, Baneful, Little Wanda, Helmuth, Bitter Miss, Friction and Lucy Marie ran.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Hocus Pocus, 102, Sewell, 13 to 5, won; Lancastrian, 99, Perrine, 5 to 1, second; Lady Henrietta, 105, Diggins, 13 to 5, third. Time, 1:15 3-5. Fenian, Tripe Silver, Alista, Ethelred, Plater, Dan Connors, Go-to-Win and Besterling ran.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Third Alarm, 112, L. Smith, 6 to 1, won; Stoner Hill, 106½, Bell, 10 to 1, second; Dr. Coffey, 105, Perrine, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:15. Rolla, Deux Temps, The Dam and Holloway ran.

Fourth race, mile and a sixteenth, handicap—St. Valentine, 114, W. Robbins, 4 to 1, won; Monaco Maid, 91, J. Johnson, 4 to 1, second; Hollowmas, 102, Sewell, even, third. Time, 1:45 4-5. Little Scout ran.

Fifth race, mile, selling—Kickshaw, 108, Bedell, 2 to 1, won; Hyacinth, 102, Sewell, 2 to 1, second; Canyon, 108, Bell, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:44 4-5. Bourke Cochran, Van Hope, Temus, Whippoorwill and St. John ran.

Sixth race, mile and 70 yards, selling—Whorier, 112, Perrine, 3 to 1, won; Rainland, 118, J. Martin, 9 to 5, second; Dapple Gold, 107, W. Robbins, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:50. Fred Hornbeck, Light Opera, Fair Calypso, Dr. Spruill, Atwood and Wedgewood ran.

FAIR GROUNDS ENTRIES WEDNESDAY.

First race—6 furlongs, selling:

Jade	96	Aflery	105
Tennyburn	98	Dan McKenna	107
Tripie Silver	102	Shenandoah	108
Bernie Cramer	103	Sir Francis II	108
Bonebrake	103	Maverick	111
Dancreatis	105	Arsenals	112
Norwood Ohio	105	Glen Gallant	112
Potente	105		

Second race—3½ furlongs:

J. J. Jr.	97	Glad Pirate	100
*Little Wanda	97	Black Enamel	100
Prince Rover	100	Blackburn	108
Judge Davey	100	Big Store	108
Commodore Theim	100	Blackmate	112
Weathervane	100	Balashed	115
*Bob Augustine	100		

*Mace entry.

Third race—1 1-16 miles:

Sonata	90	Bouvier	112
Whippoorwill	108	Aurumaster	112
Sonoma Belle	110	Rainland	115

Fourth race—7 furlongs, handicap:

*Fargo	89	Collector Jessup	96
*Hyacinth	90	Lady Navarre	102
Peter Paul	94	De Reszke	119
*Goldblatt entry.			

Fifth race—1¼ miles:

John Randolph	99	Prince Salm Salm	104
Gleeman	99	Roderick	104
Cashier	100	Saul	106
Googoo	100	Louis Kraft	106
Frangible	102	Nones	108
Paul	109	Cloverland	111
Hickory Corners	109	Colonist	111

Sixth race—1 mile, selling:

Attention	98	Etta M.	104
Clara Maxim	98	Mahogany	105
Flavigny	99	J. C. Clem	105
Bitterbrown	103	Usury	107
Blue Grass Lad	103	Beechwood	107
Daniel C.	103	Rhinock	108
Fort Worth	103		

ORDINARY CARD SHOWN.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 20.—Sis Lee and Prince of Pless were the only beaten favorites at the City Park track today. Up to the fourth race the track was fair, then rain altered the conditions. The card was merely ordinary, but each race was well contested. Harry Gardner has sold his Brand New to L. L. Lamar for $800. Summaries:

First race, mile and a half, selling—Labor, 106, Pendergast, 9 to 2, won; Piller, 101, S. Allen, 30 to 1, second; Miss Nannie L., 99, Farrow, 30 to 1, third. Time, 2:09. Blue Mint, Fox Hunting, Colin George, Captain Johnson and Cashmire also ran.

Second race, 7 furlongs—Cablegram, 112, Nicol, 5 to 2, won; Shelagh, 107, R. Lowe, 15 to 1, second; Rama, 107, R. Wilson, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:29. Gringo, Amfortas, Mayor Duncan, Red Ruby, Daylime, Sallie B. B., Tadelios, Honeywell and Bess Chaney also ran.

Third race, 6 furlongs, handicap—Grenade, 122, B. Smith, 8 to 5, won; Devout, 112, Nicol, 6 to 1, second; Auditor, 111, J. Jones, 9 to 2, third. Time, 1:14 1-5. Astrarita, Lieutenant Rice, Bluecher, Leta Duffy and Bill Carter also ran.

Fourth race, 5½ furlongs, selling—Heart of Ryacinth, 115, Nicol, 5 to 2, won; Gold Proof, 110, W. Allen, 15 to 1, second; Kara, 113½, J. Daly, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:08 1-5. Steve Lane, Margaret Angela, Poetry, Margaret M., French Nun, Miss Hingard also ran. Listless was left at the post.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Airship, 103, B. Smith, 8 to 5, won; Prince Brutus, 114, Daly, 3 to 2, second; Tichiningo, 103, D. Austin, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:15 3-5. Zinda and Massive also ran.

Sixth race, mile and one-eighth, selling—Bon Mot, 114, B. Davis, 8 to 5, won; Big Bow, R. Smith, 10 to 1, second; Limerick Girl, 99, S. Lowe, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:59 1-5. Rosamond Berry Hughes, Sam Hoffheimer, Trepan and Sis Lee also ran.

Seventh race, 5½ furlongs, selling—Lord Provost, 107, W. Hodges, 9 to 2, won; Anna Smith, 100, B. Smith, 8 to 1, second; Prince of Pless, 103, R. Lowe, 8 to 5, third. Time 1:09 4-5. Lutie Mac, Gold Coin, Lieber Gore, Suds, Oural and Annie Berry also ran.

CITY PARK ENTRIES WEDNESDAY.

First race—6 furlongs, selling:

Censor	117	Clique	104
Della A.	112	Miss Jordan	104
Harvest Time	111	Draco	97
Henry of Fransiamar	108	Ann Hill	97
Major Carpenter	109	Problem	92

Second race—6 furlongs, selling:

Loch Goil	117	Woodshade	107
Jehane	112	Creel	97
Dazzle	111	Suds	97
Prince Brutus	111	Lady Charade	92
Alcantara	109		

Third race—1 1-16 miles, selling:

Ingothrift	114	Flying Charcoal	103
Charawind	111	Algonquin	104
Dungannon	109	Lady Mistake	104
Knowledge	105	Crayda	91
Small Talk	105	Ezra	88

Fourth race—6½ furlongs, selling:

Cascine	112	Sportsman	101
Father Tallent	112	Little Red	101
Capitano	109	Suzanne Rocamere	99
Honda	107	Sheen	99
Kibosh	104	Lytheliat	99
Jack Adams	104	Cadillac	94
Parisienne	102	Maudina	88
Govina	102		

Fifth race—5½ furlongs, handicap:

St. Joseph	115	Daring	96
Thespian	114	Belknay	95
Jack Dolan	112	Bert Osra	95
Monacodor	110	Merely Mary Ann	94
Polly Prim	106	Adesso	93
Telephone	104	Precious Stone	90
Tichiningo	104	Billy Woodward	90
Lucy Young	103	Davenport	90
Kargut	100	Nutwood	90
Billy Handsell	97		

Sixth race—5½ furlongs, selling:

Wickford	112	Mr. Wadleigh	104
Rain Devils	107	Spendthrift Helen	102
Oakgrove	107	Handmash	102
Skyward	104	Goldbearer	102
Galmeda	104	Prince Glenn	99
Oratorian	104		

Seventh race—1 1-16 miles, selling:

Kleinwood	114	Morendo	106
Rockaway	114	Sis Lee	99
Merry Acrobat	109	Goldie	89
Gambler	106	Manoeuver	89
Juba	106	Wogglebug	87

RADTKE AGAIN THE STAR.

HOT SPRINGS, ARK., Feb. 20.—The feature at Oaklawn today was the riding of Radtke, who won with four of his mounts and was second with one and third with the other. Track sloppy. Summaries:

First race, selling, 6 furlongs—Kate Zitt, 95, Radtke, 2½ to 1, won; Sneer, 101, F. Burton, 12 to 1, second; Dresden, 97, Cherry, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:13 3-5. Voltage, Om Z., Ollie Burnett, Lady Lush, I. Samelson, Tombone and Little Gregg also ran.

Second race, selling, 2 furlongs—Idalia, 105, L. Wilson, 12 to 1, won; Almi's Pet, 113, McLaughlin, even, second; Locomo, 105, Radtke, 10 to 1, third. Time, :37 3-5. Wilcox, Paradise, Spring, Wasalia, Estella B. and Queen Hope also ran.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Mayor Johnson, 107, Gardwood, 7 to 1, won; Mafalda, 103, Radtke, 2½ to 1, second; Dave Sommers, 103, Downing, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:18. Ben Lear, Dolinda, Invasion, J. W. O'Neill and Bob May also ran.

Fourth race, selling, 5½ furlongs—Bendigo, 108, Radtke, 2½ to 1, won; Miss Ferris, 99, Downing, 3 to 2, second; Pickles, 105, Cherry, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:11 3-5. O. G. Parke, Lucullus, Comic Opera, Animosity and Lilly Brook also ran.

Fifth race, 5½ furlongs—Mordella, 104, Radtke, 3 to 5, won; Mary Prim, 109, Manders, 7 to 2, second; Bandilio, 106, Scoville, 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:11 1-5. Gilsbock, Wisecare, Ada Russell, Sallie Martin, Mary Mac and Mayor Rose also ran.

Sixth race, selling, mile and 70 yards—Tristan Shandy, 109, Radtke, 13 to 20, won; Stand Pat, 107, Cherry, 8 to 5, second; Henry O., 103, Dennison, 9 to 1, third. Time, 1:51 3-5. Sachem also ran.

OAKLAWN ENTRIES WEDNESDAY.

First race—3 furlongs:

Frank West	115	Bell Scott	114
Miss Kinglette	115	Twinkling Star	114
Allalati	115	Btwawi	114
Irish Brigade	118	San Ardo	117
Machant	118	Gamebird	108

Second race—6 furlongs, selling:

Martius	104	Dusky	107
Ghats	104	Ada Russell	107
Don't You Dare	103	Mordella	107
Anadarco	100	Kate Zitt	98

Third race—6 furlongs, selling:

Athena	106	Check Morgan	103
Oddella	80	Miss Leede	86
Dolinda	108	Balmer V.	86
Dave Sommers	103		

Fourth race—8 furlongs, selling:

Loricate	115	San Primo	101
Mart Gentry	100	Payne	103
Anfmosity	107	Pity	106
Harmakis	110		

Fifth race—5½ furlongs:

Mary Mach	103	Benevole	109
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MOTORISTS OUT AGAINST BILL

Strong Force of Automobilists Appear to Oppose New Enactment in New Jersey.

BRINGS OUT BIG GALLERY

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 20.—The senate judiciary committee this afternoon gave a hearing on the Frelinghuysen and Jackson bill which regulates the running of automobiles in New Jersey. When the hearing was begun the assembly chamber and the gallery were packed, including a delegation from Philadelphia, which came in a special train to oppose the bill. The farmers and others favorable to the measure were out in force and the audience was about evenly divided between the two sides.

Senator Hillery, chairman of the committee, announced that those opposed to the measure would be heard first, and ex-Senator Charles A. Reed, representing the Automobile Association of Union County, was introduced. He said he thought the present laws sufficient with an amendment conferring power to revoke licenses when laws had been broken. Prosecutor Steer of Hudson county, representing the automobile club of that county, made a speech condemning the bill.

W. B. Scarrett, president of the Automobile Club of America, said that if the bill passed it would put automobile driving out of existence in New Jersey. E. Robert Walker spoke for Mercer county automobilists, and said that the present laws were ample for all purposes if enforced. A number of others spoke in the same strain. Others who spoke against the bill were Charles C. Terry of the National Association of Automobile Manufacturers, Adrian Riker for the New Jersey Automobile Club, and R. V. Lindabury, R. G. Betts, president of the Federation of American Motor Cyclists, made a short speech asking that motor cycles be excluded from the operation of the law.

The speaking in favor of the Frelinghuysen bill was led off by Albert Case of Somerville, who said that the power to arrest without warrant was essential to the enforcement of the law. He also said that if the automobilists would not consent to reasonable regulations the farmers would eventually demand laws of an unreasonable character.

State Road Commissioner Hutchinson spoke from the standpoint of good roads. He said that excessive speed was damaging the roads and he also objected to the patent devices that are used on tires to prevent skidding. He said these tore the roads.

L. W. Kipp of the Civic Federation of Norristown read a letter from Vice Chancellor Stevens, which was a strong plea for a stringent law.

John J. Murphy, a lawyer of Hudson county, analyzed the different provisions of the Frelinghuysen bill and said that the speakers in opposition had failed to discuss the bill itself, but simply asked to be put in a class by themselves and granted immunities and privileges that were not accorded to other citizens.

BALL PLAYER GANT KILLED ON RAILROAD

Dolph Gant, the well-known local baseball player, who was on the Mars team in 1898 and with Evans City in 1897-98, was instantly killed on Sunday evening about 10:30 at Anderson street in the Allegheny yards of the Pennsylvania railroad. Gant had just secured a position in the railroad and had gone home to put on his working clothes, and was run over while going to work. Dolph played third base and shortstop, and was a hard hitter and an exceptionally good fielder. He will be buried from his sister's home, Mrs. Charles Deverts, No. 3418 Perryaville avenue, this morning.

LIVE BIRD SHOOT TOMORROW AFTERNOON

Tomorrow, the Herron Hill Gun club will hold a Washington's birthday live bird shoot at 25 pigeons. It will take place on the grounds of the club at Davis Island, and will be the usual handicap affair, distance and birds. The prize will be a silver cup, donated by one of the club members. The shoot will begin at 1:30 and is open to club members and their guests.

POPULAR FRANK HERDIC CASHES IN HIS TICKET

WILLIAMSPORT, Feb. 20.—Frank L. Herdic, the noted horseman and pool seller, of national reputation, died at his home here tonight after a long illness, aged about 60 years.

Herdic was well known and popular in Pittsburgh. When this city was a member of the Grand circuit he invariably had the pool selling privileges. He counted his friends here by the thousands.

Players Signed and Released.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Harry C. Pulliam, president of the National Baseball league, today announced the following contracts and releases:

Contracts—With Cincinnati, Ed J. Phelps, J. C. Delehanty, Orville Overall, Charles E. Check, Charles W. Harper, Robert Ewing, Fred W. Odwell, John Lobert, Thomas W. Corcoran, W. C. Carr; with Brooklyn, John Butler, Emil Batch, Charles A. Alperman, Charles Malay, Phillip Lewis, James Casey, William Bergen; with Chicago, Walter Mueller, Mordecai Brown, H. J. Moran.

Releases—By Cincinnati to San Francisco, Charles E. Street; by New York to Toledo, William Clarke; by Boston, unconditionally, William Stroh and Irving K. Wilhelm.

Lipton Offers a Gold Cup.

BOSTON, MASS., Feb. 20.—Sir Thomas Lipton has offered, and the Boston Yacht club has accepted, in trust, a $500 cup to be raced for in the 22-yachting class of the Yacht Racing association of Massachusetts. There are 26 clubs in the association, representing the ports from Provincetown to Annisquam. The cup will become the property of the owner first winning the championship. He need not necessarily win them with the same boat or two years in succession. Sir Thomas previously has given cups for yachts racing on the Pacific coast and on the Great Lakes.

Dunn Knocks Out Welsh.

ERIE, PA., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Jimmy Dunn of New Castle completely put out Billy Welsh of Erie in the eighth round of what was to have been a 15-round contest before the Erie Athletic club tonight. Several hundred enthusiastic boxing supporters saw the battle which reopened the club rooms after extensive alterations had been made.

Columbia Golf Tourney Dates.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The Columbia Golf club has set April 10 and 11 as the dates for the opening tournament which is to be held on its links this spring. The club expects an attendance of between 600 and 700 players, both amateur and professional, at the tournament.

Metropolitan Golf Dates.

St. Andrews Golf club has been assigned the amateur tournament of the Metropolitan Golf association. The dates are May 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26. Hollywood Golf club gets the Metropolitan open tournament, July 26, 27 and 28.

BASKETBALL NOTES.

South Side will play at Homestead tonight. The Mysterious five will play the Young American Juniors in the seminary.

At Youngs hall, Jucunda street, Knoxville, the champion Turner Midgets defeated the fast Knoxville Midgets 20 to 11.

Tannagus plays Zion Council this evening at Zion hall.

The Young American Juniors of Homestead have all Saturdays open. Write Alex Brown, Homestead, Pa.

The Elizabeth Juniors want games away from home with good junior teams. Address F. M. Douglass, Elizabeth, Pa.

The Montooth A. C. have organized and would like to hear from 20-year-old teams. Address E. Conway, No. 1 Paul avenue, Montooth, Pa.

SPORTING NOTES.

A movement is on foot to organize a big baseball league in Canada, to comprise Montreal, Ottawa and Kingston in the east and Hamilton, Guelph and London in the west.

Pat Flaherty will go to Hot Springs with the Pittsburgh Pirates.

Lew Moren has not yet signed with the Philadelphia National league team. He does not like the salary offered.

Catcher Harry Smith and Ground Keeper O'Maley will leave for Hot Springs on Saturday.

The Chicago National league team will train at Champaign, Ill., and West Baden, Ind. The players will begin to train at West Baden on March 5.

The Eastern league schedule will be ready in three weeks and will call for 140 games for each team.

Kid Gleason, Pitchers Duggleby and Lush and Catcher Donovan, all of the Philadelphia National league club, left the Quaker City yesterday for Savannah, Ga., to begin spring practice.

NEW WILMINGTON, PA., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Capt. Herbert Patterson of the Westminster college five will be unable to play in the game here next Saturday against W. U. P. on account of a sprained ankle, received at Youngstown last week. His place at guard will be taken by either Calhoun or McCrory. Marks will be acting captain.

WESTINGHOUSE GETS BRAZILIAN CONTRACT

Big Order Secured Against Competition of Europe and America for Light Plant.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—The Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company has captured in the face of the keenest European and American competition the most important contract ever awarded to a United States concern for electrical equipment in South America.

The Rio Janeiro Tramway, Light and Power Company, Ltd., let the contract calling for 45,000 horsepower of equipment to cost upward of $1,000,000. The Rio company, composed of Canadian capitalists, will spend about $25,000,000, partly in the conversion of the existing horse car lines and the supply of electricity for lighting use in the Brazilian capital, which will mean the erection of two big hydro-electric plants, one to be located about 80 miles from Rio de Janeiro and the other about 50 miles distant. The combined plants will develop almost 150,000 horsepower.

The machinery will be shipped from the East Pittsburgh works. The contract calls for six generators of 5,000 kilowatts capacity each. These machines will weigh nearly 250 tons each. They are to be arranged for direct connection to water turbines to be built by a Swiss engineering firm.

The Germans have hitherto gobbled all the important electrical contracts in South America, especially in the Argentine republic, where the Westinghouse interests are understood to have all but closed an order involving an expenditure above the million mark.

The nails for use in the construction of the new Rio de Janeiro electric traction lines will be shipped from the Pittsburgh district and the structural steel will also come from the Iron City.

LONG LIST OF CRIMES AGAINST THE MINERS

Detective Claims to Have Evidence in Many Western Outrages, Including Independence Horror.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

DENVER, COL., Feb. 20.—Detective James McFarland claims to have positive evidence that members of the Western Federation of Miners planned and carried out the assassination of Detective Lyte Gregory, killed mysteriously in West Denver two years ago; of Martin Gleason, superintendent of the Wild Horse mine at Cripple Creek, who was thrown down a shaft; of Arthur Collins, superintendent of the Smuggler-Union mine at Telluride, who was shot from ambush; of the killing of 14 men in the explosion at the Independence station, near Cripple Creek, June 6, 1904; of the murder of Martin B. Walley last summer by an explosion in this city, and of other murders.

The following facts have come to light from a most reliable source and have been verified:

Orchard was a member of the Western Federation of Miners, and employed in the Cripple Creek district when the famous strike was ordered. In November, 1903, he was employed as a detective to work for the Mine Owners' association. The day before the explosion which wrecked the Independence station he collected some life insurance due him because of the death of a relative.

Then came the explosion at the Independence station on June 6, and Orchard disappeared. A young man was suspended by his thumbs and he finally agreed to tell the name of the fiend. When he was lowered to the ground he said: "Harry Orchard did it."

PANHANDLE HEARING.

Interstate Commerce Commissioner Hears Testimony in Freight Rate Case.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 20.—Commissioner Charles A. Prouty of the interstate commerce commission today gave a hearing on a complaint made against the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis railway by J. W. Kohn of the National Machinery Wrecking Company of this city.

Other railroads were brought into the hearing before the commissioner and the facts hinged upon the freight rate charged upon one second-hand electric dynamo shipped to the Cleveland concern from Marietta, Ga. After hearing the testimony Commissioner Prouty adjourned the hearing, giving the attorneys on either side 15 days in which to file briefs with the commission.

STATEMENT OF BANKS.

Report of Banking Commissioner Showing Resources and Liabilities of Institutions.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 20.—The banks and trust companies in Pennsylvania are in a most prosperous condition. Banking Commissioner Berkey issued a statement today showing the principal resources and liabilities of the 126 banks, 13 savings institutions and 306 trust companies doing business in this state. This statement is made up from the reports of these institutions to Commissioner Berkey as of November 28, 1905.

Cash on hand and due from banks, $91,980,378 74; loans, $279,843,375 05; investment securities, $413,258,535 98; capital, $107,124,768 13; surplus, $116,231,879 81; undivided profits, $28,739,858 84; deposits, $641,717,716 18; trust funds, $617,470,509 78.

PLAN TO REORGANIZE.

Pittsburgh Stove and Range Company to Reduce Its Capitalization.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Pittsburgh Stove and Range Company has been called for April 23 to vote on a plan for the reorganization of the concern. The proposition will be to sell the property of the company to a new corporation on a basis that will reduce the capitalization as now existing.

The company is capitalized at $2,000,000, half preferred and half common stock, par value $50. The last sale of the preferred on the market was at 18. A year ago the stockholders voted a $800,000 mortgage bond issue to retire the $1,000,000 worth of preferred stock, but the plan could not be carried out.

OAKDALE BOROUGH IS DRY BY VOTE OF 141 TO 90

The local option fight in Oakdale ended in a decisive victory for the drys, the vote being 141 to 90. The following borough ticket was elected, all being Republican except the auditor: Burgess, Mack Shroden; council, C. E. Smith, B. M. Hopper; school directors, S. J. Campbell and H. W. Davis; tax collector, A. A. Hadden; auditor, C. W. Carver.

West Virginia Expects Coal Strike.

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Prominent coal operators from the Fairmont, New River, Kanawha and Norfolk & Western coal fields held a secret meeting here today. It is reported the operators here are preparing to fight the big strike which it seems will soon be inaugurated by the United Mine Workers' organization in this state.

Post Warnings Against "Black Hand."

HARRISBURG, Feb. 20.—Printed circulars containing the names of several Italians in this city and Steelton were posted in various parts of Harrisburg during last night, and also about the Italian quarters in Steelton, warning the public against the Black Hand. The police are at a loss to explain the appearance of the circulars.

American Steamer Wrecked.

SAN JOSE, COSTA RICA, Feb. 20.—The American steamer David was wrecked on San Andrews island, off the Nicaraguan coast. The crew were saved, but the cargo was lost. The David left Baltimore January 27 for Port Limon, Costa Rica.

Mrs. Longbaugh Is Adjudged Insane.

COSHOCTON, O., Feb. 20.—Mrs. Louisa Longbaugh, who yesterday killed her husband with an ax, was adjudged insane by the probate court today. She was taken to the state hospital at Columbus.

PHILADELPHIA IN REPUBLICAN FOLD

Incomplete Returns Give Organization 4,500 Majority—Penrose Loses His Ward.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 21.—At 1 a. m. 22 out of 26 wards give the Republican organization ticket a majority of 4,500. Many City party strongholds have returned Republican majorities, and at the present rate the Republican majority will be much higher. The City party captured about one-half of select council, but lost heavily on school directors and election officers.

The feature of the day was the rout of the Republican organization ticket in the Eighth ward, the home ward of Senator Boies Penrose.

In the Fifteenth ward former Sheriff Alexander Crow, Jr., went down to defeat before Walter S. McInnes, who was elected to select council by upward of 2,000 majority. Crow was the candidate of the Republican organization and also the City party, while McInnes was on the ticket of the Lincoln, Democratic and Liberty party. State Senator James P. McNichol helped to defeat Crow for what the latter did toward defeating the organization in November.

The day passed off very quietly, and with a few exceptions there was little trouble. In the notorious Fifth ward, where the police have taken an active part in elections for years, Director Potter today took the unprecedented action of transferring the entire district force and sending men from other districts to police the ward. This drastic measure had the desired effect and ended the political reign of the Delancey street station police.

PATRICK'S WITNESSES HAVE POLICE RECORDS

All Men from Texas Admit Having Experience in Magistrate's Courts. Jerome Is Active.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Taking of testimony in the motion for a new trial for Albert T. Patrick, under sentence of death for the murder of William Marsh Rice, was resumed today before Recorder Goff. Joseph Jordan of Seabrook, Tex., was questioned by District Attorney Jerome. Mr. Jerome asked:

"Do you think murder is a personal matter?"

"Murder is an honorable crime, if it is committed in the right way," was Jordan's reply.

Thomas F. Jett of Houston, Tex., said that Valet Jones told him that neither he nor Patrick was responsible for the death of Rice. Jones told him that Rice was used to take medicine of his own accord and that Patrick had never told him to administer chloroform.

Henry J. Moran of Houston, Tex., admitted that he had been arrested on a charge of vagrancy, and when asked if, when the charge was dismissed, it was not upon his promise to leave the town, he said: "Well, I was going away, anyway."

He said he knew Jones well, and that the former valet of Rice had told him neither he nor Patrick was responsible for the death of Rice.

Robert Lee of Houston, Tex., said he had known Jones since March, 1905, and that the latter told him Patrick was not guilty, and he hoped he would not suffer. Lee admitted having been arrested in Houston for intoxication.

Striking Students Are Suspended.

DUBOIS, PA., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—The entire junior class of the local High school has been suspended because its members refused to attend recitations. On Friday the High school, with the exception of a part of the junior class, was dismissed early. The division kept in demanded a vacation of 39½ minutes Monday and intimated that the principal should apologize.

Mikado Presented With Garter.

TOKYO, Feb. 20.—The impressive ceremony of investiture of the emperor of Japan with the British Order of the Garter took place this morning in the presence of about 80 high personages. A grand banquet was given at the palace tonight, at which ancient court dances over a thousand years old were given by the court's exclusive artists.

Wolverton Jumps to the Outlaws.

WILLIAMSPORT, PA., Feb. 20.—Harry S. Wolverton, third baseman of the Boston Nationals, was in this city today in conference with Manager Soering, the result of which he has signed a contract to play in this city during the season of 1906. Unglaub will play first base.

Master Plumbers in Session.

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 20.—The Ohio Master Plumbers' association met here today in its fifteenth annual session. W. E. Girkina of Toledo is president. The opening session was devoted to routine business.

LOOK FOR VIOLENCE IN THE PROVINCES

Hungarians Anticipate Interference of Troops and Abolition of Free Speech.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, Feb. 20.—The scene of the conflict between the coalition party and the crown will now be transferred from Budapest to the country districts, where disorders can be expected within a week. The coalition deputies plan to proceed to their various election districts at the end of this week, assemble their constituents and protest against yesterday's alleged illegal dissolution.

These meetings will be prevented and broken up by the government with the assistance of gendarmes on the ground that the crown cannot and will not tolerate such criticism of an act on its part which it considers legal and constitutional.

The crown has determined to terminate the right of free meeting, free press, and even free speech in Hungary whenever such manifestations reflect on the legality of the crown's actions. It was ascertained today from an excellent government source that the crown is prepared to suppress newspapers which conduct a propaganda based on criticism of its actions yesterday.

The coalition decided this evening not to proceed to the parliament buildings tomorrow.

Rumors are current tonight to the effect that Hungary may start a boycott movement against Austrian products, relying on the possibility that the country can obtain such articles as cheap elsewhere, while Austria will have to pay much higher prices for agricultural products.

WATER TO RAISE DEAD.

Medical Company, Which Promised Miracles, Used Aqua Pura for a Cure-All.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—The method of sending Force of Life remedies to patients was taken up today at the hearing of the Force of Life Chemical Company. Mrs. Nellie U. Wallington said that the liquid medicine was taken from the Force of Life barrel, which she said she was inclined to believe contained water. The liquid remedy was supposed to have four strengths, and when taken from the barrel the bottles, after being filled, were labeled accordingly.

"When persons sent for samples of the Force of Life medicine what did they receive?"

"They all received what was known as 'dopey,'" replied Mrs. Wallington.

THIEVES IN KNOXVILLE.

Get $3,000 Worth of Plunder in Daring Daylight Robbery.

Another of the daring daylight robberies that have been going on in Knoxville borough lately occurred yesterday when the residence of W. H. Fertig, 121 Brownsville avenue, was entered and $1,000 in jewelry and cash taken. Mrs. Fertig and the elder daughter went away yesterday afternoon, leaving the house unoccupied. Upon the return home of a younger daughter she discovered the back door open, and investigation showed the second floor to have been ransacked and everything of value taken that could be carried away.

The robbery was reported to Chief of County Detectives Robinson, and County Detectives Joseph B. Kohen and Robert L. McMillan were detailed to investigate the case. This is the fourth time in five years the Fertig home has been burglarized, once during the Biddie boys' maraudings. Some of the goods stolen at that time were recovered.

SCHENLEY GUESTS GET RETURNS HOT FROM WIRES

Election returns were received by the guests at Hotel Schenley. A large table had been placed in the office, on which were a number of long-distance telephones. Spread on the table was a tally sheet, and as the returns came in they were jotted down by Col. A. J. Logan, who announced them to the guests. It was remarked that when the returns favored Jenkinson the little company appeared to be pleased.

Actress Falls to Her Death.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—The police of New York were called upon today to investigate the death of Gussie Hart, an actress, 50 years old, who died in a cab while being taken to her home by several companions. The matter at first was reported as a possible murder, and several arrests were made. The woman fell down a flight of 20 steps at an up-town cafe.

Prefer Wrought Iron to Steel.

Willis Whited addressed the Engineers' society of Western Pennsylvania in the society rooms, Penn avenue, last night on "Bridges, Their Design and Construction." In the discussion that followed the general expression was that wrought iron gives better results for exposed construction than steel.

MIDWINTER EXHIBIT OF AVERY COLLEGE

Large Crowd Attends and Admire Handiwork of Students in Colored School.

The midwinter exhibition of the handiwork of the students of the Avery College Trade school, a colored institution of Allegheny, held in the school building last night, was attended by a large number of the colored population of Pittsburgh. The exhibition far surpassed anything before given, and on every side was heard expressions of admiration at the creations in ladies' gowns, millinery and gentlemen's garments which were shown.

The work was divided into different departments, and the millinery exhibit received only words of praise. They were designed and made entirely by the students, even to the slightest detail. The display of ladies' gowns was divided into three classes. The first was the beginner's class, where the handiwork was all designed and made by the first-year pupils, with only a needle, no machine work being allowed in the primary class. The intermediate class showed work of a more advanced style, and in the senior class were some creations in women's suits and gowns of exclusive patterns that would have done credit to a modiste.

The latest styles in gentlemen's suits were shown in the tailoring department, some of the work which was designed for the leading men of Pittsburgh being especially fine. A pair of trousers which were cut and finished by a 12-year-old boy was the feature of this exhibit.

The literary exhibit was confined to maps, essays and compositions done by the students. One map here which was drawn by an aged colored woman who could scarcely see, but whose desire for knowledge led her to enter the primary class in the school, never failed to elicit praise. The Avery school is the oldest colored institution in North America, and its purpose is the training of colored young men and women for a place in the world to which they are best fitted. In addition to the subjects which figured in the exhibition last night, they are taught cooking and nursing. There are at present 280 pupils, from all parts of the United States, and 39 of these are girls or boys which are placed there by the juvenile court and the different charitable institutions of the city.

Bell Telephone Increases Capital.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 20.—At a meeting of the Bell Telephone Company of Philadelphia today F. H. Bethel, vice president of the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Company, was elected vice president of the Bell company. B. W. Trafford was named to succeed Mr. Bethel. The capital stock of the former company was increased from $16,000,000 to $20,000,000.

Railroad Robberies

"Nothing in this world is so sure as the revenge of the slum upon the race that tolerates it.

"But our children must pay the bill, not we."

In Everybody's for March, Russell tells how Italy, revolting at her wretched railways, has taken over the entire railroad system. How poor old Ireland, looking with unaccustomed eyes upon a faint chance of prosperity, sees the way barred by railroads.

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REGISTER'S NOTICE.

The following executors, administrators, guardians and trustees have settled their respective accounts in the office of the register and clerk of orphans' court, and the same will be presented for confirmation to the orphans' court of Allegheny county at the court house, Pittsburgh, Pa., Monday, March 5, 1906:

No.	Estate of	Accountants	Filed.
2	Beck, R. Loomis	Moorehead, A. S., Guardian	Jan. 6, 1906
3	Kaufman, Clayton A.	Kaufman, Charles H., Administrator	Jan. 8, 1906
4	Herzog, Henry	Herzog, Tillie, Executrix	Jan. 8, 1906
5	Wilson, Susan	Wilson, John N. et al., Administrators	Jan. 8, 1906
6	Cusack, Elizabeth A.	Cusack, Daniel E., Administrator	Jan. 8, 1906
7	Dietrich, Carrie	Pappert, William, Administrator	Jan. 9, 1906
8	Nolte, Katharina	Nolte, Matilda P., Executrix	Jan. 9, 1906
9	Schwab, William and Hannah	Kennedy, F. H., Guardian	Jan. 9, 1906
10	Fitzsimmons, Rose A.	Fitzsimmons, Andrew J., Administrator	Jan. 9, 1906
11	Snyder, Susan	Snyder, Florence A., Executor	Jan. 11, 1906
12	Foxhall, Ann	Foxhall, Edward B., Executor	Jan. 11, 1906
13	Dickson, Charles S.	Dickson, D. S., Guardian	Jan. 12, 1906
14	McGinness, Anthony	McGinness, Anthony J., Administrator	Jan. 12, 1906
15	Johnston, Walter Jr.	Dollar Savings Fund & Trust Co., Guardian	Jan. 12, 1906
16	McLean, Elizabeth P.	McLean, D. S., Administrator	Jan. 12, 1906
17	Carpenter, Mary E.	Carpenter, Wilson H., Administrator	Jan. 13, 1906
18	Schmidt, Tillie	Equitable Trust Co. of Pittsburgh, Guardian	Jan. 13, 1906
19	Fitzgerald, Rupert J.	Fitzgerald, Mary, Administratrix	Jan. 15, 1906
20	Conway, Mary	Cain, Ellen, Executrix	Jan. 15, 1906
21	Roten, Ellen	Roten, Christian, Administrator	Jan. 15, 1906
22	Brady, Pamelia F.	McCready, J. A., Administrator	Jan. 15, 1906
23	Grier, Margaret R.	Mowry, Thomas B., Executor	Jan. 16, 1906
24	O'Reilly, James	O'Reilly, Thomas, Executor	Jan. 16, 1906
25	Moore, William Sr.	Hogue, Nicholas, et al., Executors	Jan. 16, 1906
26	Poff, Franklin	Poff, John, et al., Executors	Jan. 17, 1906
27	McMullin, Archibald F.	McMillin, Margaret, Administratrix	Jan. 17, 1906
28	Dempsey, Berry	Ohio Valley Trust Co., Administrator	Jan. 17, 1906
29	Baxter, David	Baxter, James, Administrator	Jan. 17, 1906
30	Walker, Mary J.	Walker, William, Administrator	Jan. 17, 1906
31	Braber, Emma, Andrew, John, Rosa and Mary	Vokac, John, Guardian	Jan. 18, 1906
32	Marlatt, Carrie E., Annie M., Mathilda O. and Audley H.	Ritchey, S. C., Guardian	Jan. 18, 1906
33	Kauffeld, Catherine	Kauffeld, Elias, Administrator	Jan. 18, 1906
34	Wallace, Jane	Sterritt, William H., Executor	Jan. 18, 1906
35	Withrow, Robert	Moody, Joseph, Administrator	Jan. 19, 1906
36	Muse, Louisa R.	Muse, Richard, Executor	Jan. 19, 1906
37	Schwartz, Eveline	Schwartz, John L., Administrator	Jan. 19, 1906
38	Bligh, Mabel I.	Cray, P. M., Executor	Jan. 19, 1906
39	Gensheimer, Mary	Gensheimer, George, Administrator	Jan. 19, 1906
40	Gaub, Wilhelmina	Gaub, George, Administrator	Jan. 18, 1906
41	Cunningham, Isabelle	Todd, W. G., Guardian	Jan. 20, 1906
42	Porter, William M.	Holtzman, L. F., et al., Executors	Jan. 20, 1906
43	Sproul, Thomas M.	Sproul, John W., et al., Executors	Jan. 20, 1906
44	Graham, James	McDonald, L. S., Administrator	Jan. 22, 1906
45	Baird, Anna P.	Baird, John C., Administrator	Jan. 22, 1906
46	Preee, Mary	Colbert, Geo. F., Executor	Jan. 22, 1906
47	Chapman, Charlotte	Cowell, Martha, Administratrix	Jan. 22, 1906
48	McDonough, William B.	Phillips, W. A., Administrator	Jan. 22, 1906
49	Marts, Sarah C.	Riggs, Walter S., Administrator	Jan. 22, 1906
50	Schlotz, Andrew	Schlotz, Robert, Executor	Jan. 22, 1906
51	Ross, David B.	Thubron, Frederick, Administrator	Jan. 22, 1906
52	Walter, Joseph	Walter, John, et al., Executors	Jan. 22, 1906
53	Boulet, Barbara	Lindner, Anna S. Executrix	Jan. 19, 1906
54	Matt, John	Schwendemann, Leopold, Executor	Jan. 22, 1906
55	Robinson, Sarah A.	Kent, John, et al., Executors	Jan. 23, 1906
56	Friedman, Harry	Silverman, H., Administrator	Jan. 22, 1906
57	Liggett, John	Liggett, Frank R., et al., Executors	Jan. 22, 1906
58	Kretz, Barbara	Kinkel, J. P., Executor	Jan. 23, 1906
59	Brown, Hamilton S.	Sheppard, J. P., Executor	Jan. 23, 1906
60	Drummond, Robert	Drummond, Nora V., Executrix	Jan. 23, 1906
61	Norberg, Carl Emil	Roy, August, Administrator	Jan. 23, 1906
62	Krut, Theresa	Krut, John A., et al., Executors	Jan. 23, 1906
63	Rausch, Katharina	Obeldobel, Charles, Executor	Jan. 23, 1906
64	Skelton, Jane	Skelton, John, Administrator	Jan. 23, 1906
65	Roadman, Amos	Roadman, Susan A., Administratrix	Jan. 23, 1906
66	Connelly, John	Lydon, Mark, Executor	Jan. 24, 1906
67	Jones, Mary H.	Jones, Phillip K., Executor	Jan. 24, 1906
68	McCabe, John	Brennan, John, et al., Executors	Jan. 24, 1906
69	Protzman, John	Rauschenberger, John, Administrator	Jan. 24, 1906
70	Bruening, Mathilde	Bruening, Frederick H., Executor	Jan. 24, 1906
71	Phillips, Isaiah	Phillips, Mary J., Administrator	Jan. 25, 1906
72	Herrmann, William S.	Herrmann, Martha, Executrix	Jan. 25, 1906
73	Redman, H. W.	Guaranatee Title & Trust Co., Guardian	Jan. 25, 1906
74	Kelly, William D.	O'Connell, J. M., Executor	Jan. 31, 1906
75	Gerby, Clara D.	Negley, Wm. R., Executor	Jan. 26, 1906
76	McCall, Elliott	Sharpnack, H. G., et al., Administrators	Jan. 26, 1906
77	Barckley, Joseph	Barckley, Sarah B., et al., Executors	Jan. 26, 1906
78	Klaus, Joseph and John	Meyers, John B., Guardian	Jan. 28, 1906
79	Sill, Kate	Vance, W. K., Executor	Jan. 26, 1906
80	Adams, Hugh	Adams, John H., Administrator	Jan. 27, 1906
81	Dwyer, Michael C.	Dwyer, Daniel J., Administrator	Jan. 27, 1906
82	Gotthart, John G.	Gotthart, Mary E., Administratrix	Jan. 27, 1906
83	Yunker, Peter	May, Joan, et al., Executors	Jan. 29, 1906
84	Eagan, Patrick Henry	Gallagher, Philip, Executor	Jan. 29, 1906
85	McMahon, John	O'Donnell, J. E., Administrator	Jan. 29, 1906
86	Little, John S.	Little, J. M., Executor	Jan. 29, 1906
87	Lubbe, William	Brettville, Frank, Administrator	Jan. 29, 1906
88	Kritzer, William E.	Nebo, William F., Guardian	Jan. 29, 1906
89	Roth, Elizabeth	Schade, George, Executor	Jan. 29, 1906
90	Patch, Thomas	Patch, Harry D., Administrator	Jan. 29, 1906
91	Hanna, Simpson E.	Thomas, John W., Executor	Jan. 29, 1906
92	Freed, Catherine	Stouffer, William B., Executor	Jan. 30, 1906
93	Jones, Elizabeth N.	Harris, Theresa E., Administratrix	Jan. 30, 1906
94	Kaufman, Christine E.	Kaufman, John, Trustee	Jan. 30, 1906
95	Leacock, Harry	Carnegie Trust Co., Guardian	Jan. 30, 1906
96	Lepeczinski, Franciskus	Bargdonas, Dominick, Administrator	Jan. 30, 1906
97	Birch, James R.	Tracy, Anna R., Executrix	Jan. 30, 1906
98	Lennon, Thomas	Frazier, Lucius J., Administrator	Jan. 31, 1906
99	Watson, Walter L.	Watson, Hugh, Administrator	Jan. 31, 1906
100	Cawley, Michael	Hill, Smith W., Administrator	Jan. 31, 1906
101	Reinhold, Emma J. C.	Reinhold, Curt, Administrator	Jan. 31, 1906
102	McKinley, Oscar	Braddock Trust Co., Administrator	Jan. 31, 1906
103	Smith, Loretta M.	Mercantile Trust Co., Administrator	Jan. 31, 1906
104	Huchel Christ F.	Mercantile Trust Co., Administrator	Feb. 1, 1906
105	Groves, Frederick	Gallagher, Jonathan, Executor	Feb. 1, 1906
106	McKee, Christian I.	Hall, William M., Jr., Executor	Feb. 1, 1906
107	Street, Kenneth B.	Millard, Bruce, Guardian	Feb. 1, 1906
108	Sawyer, P.	Nauette, John, Administrator	Feb. 1, 1906
109	Straw, Hannah	Wright, Edward S., Executor	Feb. 1, 1906
110	Duoff, Frederick	Kinnear, James W., Executor	Feb. 1, 1906
111	Himme, August	Hopkins, Charles W. Executor	Feb. 1, 1906
112	Moore, Annie, Henry, Bailey	Moore, John A., Executor	Feb. 1, 1906
113	Davis, Mary W	McFrederick, D. H., Administrator	Feb. 2, 1906
114	Carlson, John, Alfred	Braddock Trust Co., Administrator	Feb. 2, 1906
115	Blackmore, Sarah J.	Blackmore, Frank P., Executor	Feb. 2, 1906
116	Schomburg, Ludwig	Schomburg, John J., Executor	Feb. 2, 1906
117	Cook, James M.	Cook, John, Administrator	Feb. 2, 1906
118	Cunningham, Abraham	Cunningham, Hugh L., Administrator	Feb. 2, 1906
119	Miller, W. H.	Guarantee Title & Trust Co., Guardian	Feb. 2, 1906
120	Wilson, Elizabeth M.	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Executor	Feb. 2, 1906
121	Sauter, Mary M.	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Guardian	Feb. 2, 1906
122	Turner, Frederick H.	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Guardian	Feb. 2, 1906
123	Snively, Lizzie J.	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Guardian	Feb. 2, 1906
124	Aiken, Mildred L.	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Guardian	Feb. 2, 1906
125	Deyup, Charles	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Guardian	Feb. 2, 1906
126	Miller, Hazel L.	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Guardian	Feb. 2, 1906
127	Armstrong, Robert B.	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Guardian	Feb. 2, 1906
128	Schmidt, Nellie B.	Safe Deposit & Trust Co., Guardian	Feb. 2, 1906
129	Kounts, Peninah W.	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Administrator	Feb. 2, 1906
130	Edwards, Caroline M.	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Guardian	Feb. 2, 1906
131	Cox, William	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Guardian	Feb. 2, 1906
132	Campbell, Florence H.	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Guardian	Feb. 2, 1906
133	Schampel, Conrad E.	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Guardian	Feb. 2, 1906
134	Barth, George	Fidelity Title & Trust Co., Guardian	Feb. 2, 1906
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SOCIETY

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MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM BOOTH TRAINOR of Northumberland avenue expect to go to Philadelphia during the latter part of next month to be in attendance at the wedding of Mr. Trainor's brother, Newlin Trainor, and Miss Caroline Browning, both of the Quaker city. St. David's Protestant Episcopal church, Bryn Mawr, will be the scene of the wedding, which is set for noon on Tuesday, April 17. Miss Browning has never visited in Pittsburgh, but is known here as having been a bridesmaid at the recent wedding of Miss Caroline Morris and J. Frederic Byers. Mr. Trainor, the prospective bridegroom, was to have been an attendant at the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Trainor, the latter of whom was Miss Martha D. Dalzell a couple of years ago, but was prevented by illness.

Mrs. Dalzell Is Hostess.

A smartly appointed bridge party was given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Louis W. Dalzell at her home in Ridge avenue, Allegheny. Mrs. J. Frederic Byers, a recent bride, was the guest of honor and also captured one of the prizes. The other winners were Miss Anne Burgwin, Miss Jeannette Hawkins, Mrs. George Hamilton Flinn, Mrs. Harmar D. Denny, Mrs. Russell K. Forsyth, Mrs. B. F. Jones, Jr., and Mrs. William C. Robinson. Beautiful little silver clocks were the prizes. Mrs. Dalzell was assisted by Mrs. Harry Darlington, Mrs. J. Denniston Lyon and Mrs. Alexander Laughlin, Jr., who poured tea and chocolate at the close of the games. The tea table in the dining room was adorned with a graceful arrangement of pink roses, while clusters of red roses were used throughout the other apartments.

Green-Weil.

Wearing an embroidered robe of white batiste, a tulle veil with orange blossoms and carrying a Bible marked by lilies of the valley, Miss Hattie Green last evening became the wife of Henry E. Weil. The Rev. Dr. J. Leonard Levy performed the ceremony at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Jennette Green, in Chartiers street, Allegheny, at 6:30 o'clock. Nathan Green giving his sister away. The only attendant was Julius Weil, a brother of the bridegroom, who served as best man. Among the out-of-town people at the wedding were R. W. Wolters, Miss Rebecca Wolters and Miss Minnie Wolters of Wilmington, Del. Until Mr. Weil's new residence, in Washington street, Knoxville, is completed, he and his bride will make no plans for being at home.

Mrs. Schoonmaker's Luncheon.

Three guests of honor will share honors today at the luncheon which Mrs. James M. Schoonmaker will give at her home in Ellsworth avenue, Shadyside. Mrs. F. G. Tulidge, Mrs. J. W. Harries and Mrs. S. S. Snafer, all of Cincinnati, who are visiting Mrs. Schoonmaker and Mrs. Harry Clyde Beggs, are the honor guests. In addition to whom covers will be laid for Mrs. Beggs, Mrs. Carter Curtis Beggs, Mrs. Harry Darlington, Mrs. Harmar D. Denny, Mrs. Louis W. Dalzell, Mrs. William Nimick Frew, Mrs. Thomas McK. Cook and Mrs. James Wood Scully.

Dinner Follows Reception.

A dinner for the aids supplemented the reception given yesterday afternoon by Miss Nellie Brown of Stanton avenue, East End. Miss Annabelle Dreher of Washington, D. C., was the guest of honor, and, gowned in a pink and white pompadour silk, received with the hostess, who wore pink liberty silk. Mrs. W. S. Brown, Mrs. William McCaandless Brown, Miss Helen Wood, Miss Ruth Hay and Miss Charlotte Overend acted as assistants, and the decorations for the day were of white lilies in the drawing room and pink roses and lilacs in the dining room.

Four Ushers in the Party.

At the wedding of Miss Emma Daisy Hogue and Harry Scovell Brickell in Trinity Protestant Episcopal church tomorrow evening there will be four ushers: Edward Rabenstein, Walter Brickell, James Anderson and John Shallert. The bridal party will also include Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Kirk, jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Addison Gumbert, as groomsmen and bridesmatrons. The wedding supper will be served at Mr. and Mrs. Brickell's new home in Howe street, East End, where they will reside at the conclusion of their wedding trip.

Visitors Share Honors.

Miss Cecelia Moran and Miss Julia Moran of Uniontown, who are visiting Miss Bertha Boehm of Friendship avenue, shared honors last evening at the euchre with which Miss Lamb of Amber avenue entertained. Six-hand euchre was played at six tables and the appointments were carried out in hatchets and flags. Pink carnations were used to decorate the parlor and red blossoms the living and dining rooms. Miss May Stillwagon and Miss Quirk assisted the hostess.

Another in Series of Bridge Luncheons.

Mrs. Charles L. Taylor will give another in her series of entertainments—a bridge luncheon—at her home in Ellsworth avenue this afternoon. Mrs. Galen Hartman, Mrs. William Boyd, Mrs. S. S. Lesalle, Mrs. Robert Blakeney Petty, Sr., Mrs. H. C. Torrance, Mrs. Frederick C. Ewart and Mrs. George Taylor Clarkson will be the guests, and the luncheon will be followed by an afternoon of whist, for which a pin will be the prize awarded.

A Crystal Wedding Celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gerberding of Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, will celebrate the fifteenth anniversary of their marriage on Thursday, March 15, at their home on the North Side. The affair will be quietly conducted, but among the guests will be several who attended the wedding in 1891 in the United Presbyterian church of Carnegie, when the bride was Miss Alma Kautzs.

Tea at the Country Club.

Mrs. George Wilmer Martin of the Bellefield dwellings has cards out for a 4 o'clock tea at the Country club in Squirrel hill on Friday afternoon, March 2. The guests have been asked to meet Mrs. Frank Shepard, who was Miss Carrie Rose; Mrs. Paul Sorg, who was Miss Grace Watson Aul, and Mrs. Hotchkiss of Cleveland, who is visiting Mrs. John Albert Aul of Bellefield avenue.

Corner Club Is Entertained.

Members and friends of The Corner club were agreeably entertained at the Nixon last evening by Miss Martha A. Brown, of the East End. Among those present were Miss Stella C. Mantz, Miss Elizabeth Walls, Miss Bertha M. Costlow and Miss Elizabeth Endres. The club colors were worn by all the members, being pale blue and yellow.

Informal Tea for Bride.

Miss Morris of Stanton avenue gave a delightfully informal little tea yesterday afternoon, her guests including only a few of her girl friends who had been invited to meet Mrs. Lee Stewart Irwin. Mrs. Irwin is a bride of the fall, who was Miss Charlotte Davison of Bellevue. The tea was a telephone affair, given without aids or decorations.

To Entertain for Bride-Elect.

Announcement was made yesterday of the engagement of Miss Mary Ross MacDonald of McKeesport to John Walton Curry of Dravosburg, and the engagement will terminate in a wedding on March 1. Mrs. John Kerr of the Aliquippa apartments, a sister of the bride-to-be, will entertain with a reception in her honor tomorrow.

New Soprano at Christ Church.

Miss Elsie May Gundling, Wheeling's leading soprano, a pupil of James Stephen Martin of this city, who has on several occasions been heard in solo selections at musicales in Pittsburgh, has accepted the offer of an engagement with the quartet choir of the Christ Methodist Episcopal church, Center and Liberty avenues.

Notes of Society.

A Martha Washington tea party will be held in the chapel of the Fourth Presbyterian church, Evaline street, tomorrow evening.

Mrs. Arthur Kirk and her daughter, Miss Sarah C. Kirk of North Highland avenue, left recently for a six-weeks' stay in Pasadena, Cal.

The monthly reception and dance of the Carter Conservatory chorus class will be given in the conservatory, South Highland avenue, this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. McColley and son, Master Jacob McColley of Latrobe, are house guests of Dr. and Mrs. William A. Caven of Fifth avenue, Oakland.

Miss Grace Jackson of Broad street, Sewickley, will entertain Thursday evening of this week with a Martha Washington party. Fifty guests will be present.

The women having charge of the candy booth at the proposed tea party for St. John's church, will give a euchre in Union hall, Thirty-second street and Liberty avenue, this evening.

A musicale will be given at the residence of J. C. McDonnell, Baum and Rebecca streets, tomorrow evening for the benefit of the Woman's Home Missionary society of Christ Methodist Episcopal church.

Mrs. H. W. Golden of Bellevue, will give a Washington's birthday luncheon on Thursday in honor of her sister, Mrs. William Wilson Giffen of the East End. The decorations will be carried out in cherries and hatchets, with red, white and blue as the colors. Covers will be laid for 10 guests.

THE CLUBS

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Personality of Thomas Jefferson.

The assembly room of the Twentieth Century club was crowded with members of the Pittsburgh chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, yesterday morning to listen to the lecture by Miss Jane Meade Welch of Buffalo, N. Y. Miss Welch spoke on "Thomas Jefferson and the Government of the United States During the Constructive Period." She sketched graphically the personal character of Jefferson, described his home and gave glimpses of the motives lying back of the various moves he made during his career in political life. She spoke of his friendship with John Adams and Aaron Burr, and then presented a vivid picture of his life after his retirement from public, when the need for public education presented itself so strongly to him that he worked for the upbuilding of the University of Virginia and of William and Mary college. Jefferson was opposed to the idea of a president for the University of Virginia, and he fought it to the end of his life, the university being managed by a council composed of the heads of the different departments, who elected their own presiding officer. Miss Welch will lecture tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the same place under the auspices of the Pittsburgh chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, when her subject will be "Alexander Hamilton, the Friend of Washington and the Founder of the Financial System of this Country."

Bellevue Women Discuss Election.

The Woman's club of Bellevue had a most interesting session yesterday, occupying for the first time its new quarters in Y. M. C. A. hall. The election and other live topics came in for discussion, and an intelligent understanding of the events of the times, as well as a disposition to show that the women of the day propose to have a hand in the important affairs, was strongly in evidence, though that does not mean activity at the polls. The president, Mrs. W. R. Murphy, was in the chair. The delegates of the Bellevue club at the meeting of the mid-winter conference of the permanent civic committee of women's clubs of Western Pennsylvania made an interesting report. The delegates were Mrs. W. W. Lawrence and Mrs. C. E. Wilbur. The subject for study being Russia, the papers read were on "Ivan the Great" by Miss M. L. Wrigley and "Moscow" by Mrs. George F. Heckle. The current events, which included the interesting discussion upon the present-day topics, was led by Mrs. G. W. Seaman.

Queries Concerning Playgrounds.

Mrs. James R. Kibler, president of the New Era club, has received a letter of inquiry from G. A. Parker, superintendent of the department of parks in Hartford, Conn. The letter is as follows:

"I understand from references seen in the press that your club is interested in the question of children's playgrounds. Will you kindly write, if not too much trouble, the name and address of the person I should apply to in order to obtain information relating to the playground work of Allegheny."

This letter is of interest not only to the members of the New Era club, whose reputation is spreading beyond the bounds of Allegheny county, but to all the club women who contribute in any degree to the successful working of the summer playgrounds and vacation schools in Allegheny during the past summer.

Journalism Is Discussed.

The Woman's club of Pittsburgh listened to a program of unusual interest yesterday, presented under the leadership of Mrs. Robert D. Coard. The principal speaker was Arthur Burgoyne the "All Sorts" man of the Pittsburgh Leader, who gave a practical talk telling of his own personal experiences in newspaper work. Mr. Burgoyne began his newspaper experince as a musical critic, and was invited to give a piano solo yesterday afternoon before the club, which he kindly consented to do. Mrs. Annie E. Smith read selections from Julian Hawthorne's article on "Standards of Journalism." "The Ways of Cartoonists" was the subject of a paper written by M. Raymond Gros and read by Miss Minnie Kuhn, while Robert D. Coard wrote of the "Power of Cartoonists," his paper being read by Mrs. William J. Brenneman. The music consisted of piano solos by Miss Marion Kanke, with songs by the Charminade quartet.

Lecture on Civic Improvement.

Under the auspices of the Civic club of Allegheny county Dr. Justus Ohage, commissioner of health of St. Paul, will lecture this evening in the parish house of Trinity church, Sixth and Oliver avenues. Dr. Ohage is on his way east, expecting to sail on Friday, February 23, for Europe where he will make a study of municipal sanitation. Stopping over for a few hours in Pittsburgh he will speak on "Civic Betterment," treating of the smoke nuisance and various other menaces to the public health. The lecture commencing at 8:15 o'clock this evening will be free to the public, which is cordially invited to attend. This is the first in a series of open public meetings which will be given under the auspices of the Civic club of Allegheny county this winter and spring.

Meeting of the Travelers.

The Travelers' club will hold a special meeting this afternoon, taking the place of the one postponed from last week. The revision of the constitution and by-laws will come up as the principal business before the club today, and as much of the program arranged for last week as the time will permit will be presented. "The New Woman in Japan" will be discussed by Mrs. J. D. Hamilton, while Mrs. Henry J. Bailey will give "Characteristics of the Japanese." Mrs. L. P. Stone describing "Home Life in Japan."

Will Celebrate Tenth Anniversary.

The Willing Workers' Mission band of the Point Breeze Presbyterian church will celebrate the tenth anniversary of its organization by an entertainment tomorrow evening at 7:45 o'clock in the lecture room of the church. The program will consist of recitations, tableaux, and music, and refreshments will be served. The band invites all its friends and all former members to attend the entertainment. A rehearsal will be held this afternoon.

Preparing for the Bazar.

The bazar for the benefit of the industrial school and kindergarten of the East End Young Women's Christian association will be held on Saturday afternoon, February 24, from 2 o'clock until 6, in the association building, Collins avenue, East End.

Meeting of Tuesday Musical Club.

Notwithstanding election day and other conflicting meetings, the Tuesday Musical club met yesterday afternoon in the ballroom of the Hotel Schenley. A recital was given by Miss Lucy Hine.

Study Henry V.

Mrs. M. H. Miller entertained the Woman's Library club of Knoxville last evening. Miss Nettie Taylor was the chairman of the evening's program which was confined to the first three acts of Shakespeare's Henry V.

An Economical Cold Weather Dinner.

A very hearty and satisfying cold weather dinner is roast beef with lima beans instead of the usual Yorkshire pudding.

Get a rib or shoulder roast, brown in a hot oven in the usual fashion and after cooking is well under way pour in one side of the pan a pint of dried lima beans which have been soaked in cold water all night, and cooked until tender in salted water. Pour in water and all, exercising care that there is not too much water. Potatoes may also be browned in the roast pan. They should be placed on the other side of the roast and cooked with the meat. Baste frequently, adding a little water as needed. Beans and potatoes should be a delicate brown. Lift the meat on a hot platter, garnish with cress or parsley and serve the vegetables in separate dishes.

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Gentle Art of Arguing

To be able to disagree with a friend and do it amiably is an art. If it flourished more commonly there would be fewer quarrels and less hard feeling, two unpleasant results to be avoided if one can. It is childish for two women who have been friends for years to fall out over trifling matters, but one sees it happen all the time, and sometimes the breach begun about a trivial thing widens until the two never really come together again on the old basis.

On the degree of positiveness with which one contradicts is apt to depend its effect. An aggressive denial or contradiction is distinctly unpleasant to the person who hears it. "It isn't so much what one says as the positive way one says it," to paraphrase a trifle, and it is manner, not words, that is potent. One may express the same phrase with an entirely different manner and no offense will be given.

A person who always agrees is not only insipid, but is apt to be untruthful. It is not humanly possible always to reflect the opinion of one's companion, and therefore the art of disagreeing is one to be cultivated. It consists largely, one might think, in gentleness in advancing one's own opinion as an opinion, and not as though it were a fact. This habit of positiveness is one of the most irritating in and to human nature, and the person who avoids appearance of it, at the same time having tact and firmness, will accomplish far more by influence and association than she who is assertive. It is the difference between going around armed with a club or a cushion. The club of positiveness may be silencing, but is rarely persuasive; the cushion of suggestion and opinion is sometimes more comfortable to lean upon than one's own previous thoughts. In any case it is not irritating.

It is no wonder that men declare women cannot argue. They not only as a rule lack facts and bring in personalities, but they use such information as they have with a positiveness that in a man another would call brutal. Flatly, women rarely show toleration of each other in difference of opinion. When two men disagree or are of different opinions the phrases, "I have found it so and so," or "It seems to me," or "I think" are frequently uttered. Women, like children, get together and say, "It is." There are, of course, cases where both are right in this positive assertion, but as a rule one is mistaken. There are even exceptional instances where one becomes convinced that she is mistaken, but the known cases of her admitting it under the circumstances are even more rare. Her whole nature has been so roused to combat by the other that she cannot suddenly become sweet and yielding and say, even figuratively, "Yes, darling; I am wrong and you are right." Human nature isn't built on any such angelic lines.

But that same woman who would rather die than admit herself to be wrong after an argument of that kind might do it cheerfully and without effort if her companion had a little tact and toleration in her way of advancing opinions. "I think" and "It seems to me" leaves room for the thought that the person so talking knows that after all she is merely human and so fallible and possibly mistaken. This is a cheering thought to the other, for if the first is trying to bolster up a weak argument she sees a possibility of being let down easily and without gloating on the part of the other, whereas if the first is convinced of the strength of her own position she is pleased at a semblance of readiness on the part of the latter to be convinced.

Arguing between women is not impossible when both have toleration and gentleness in expressing opinions. Gentleness is not weakness, any more than brutality is always strength. But the person who has gentleness of manner and strength of purpose behind it has force that will make many things give way before her, always pleasantly.

Visits Between Boxes at Opera Said to Be Increasing this Year

The theory that society women go to the New York opera to visit each other instead of to hear the music still obtains. They go from one box to another to attend the informal receptions being constantly held in the stalls, and talk about Mrs. John Jacob Astor's fad for automobiling, or the gowns the President's daughter will have made for her approaching wedding. Visiting in boxes has increased so that it is said to be the reason that several of the millionaires have had their boxes redecorated and refurnished to make their guests more comfortable this season.

J. Pierpont Morgan and George F. Baker have at present the most elaborate stalls in the opera house, which are handsomely furnished and fitted with armchairs to add to the comfort of the visitors. This year the boxes of Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, Mrs. Ogden Mills and her twin daughters and Mrs. Henry Clews have been the most popular, and there is scarcely a minute when a line of guests is not waiting to get in. Since the opening of the opera season Mrs. Whitney has not been absent from a Monday night performance, while her husband has not been seen in the box once. She always is accompanied by several women friends. Another well known woman who is always in her box is Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, though young Mrs. Willie K. is rarely present, and when she does go stays only for a few minutes.

Mrs. Henry Clews, who probably wears more gowns and different sets of jewels to the opera than any other woman, is genuinely fond of music. She arrives earlier than most of the smart set and invariably stays until the curtain is down after the last act.

Countess Annie Leary is another music lover who goes to the opera to hear the music and not to visit. She usually arrives early before the first act and stays as a rule until most of the boxes are empty. Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs goes to the opera, some persons say, simply to make calls on her friends, for she rarely stays longer than half an hour, unless waiting for some one to arrive.

Women wearing mourning have been seen in boxes this season, and as this is an innovation they have created quite a lot of gossip. They are of course not as elaborately dressed as most of the women and wear few jewels, and usually sit far back, so they will not be conspicuous. But Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, who is in black, and Mrs. C. E. Alexander have been quite regular in their attendance, and Mrs. Clarence Mackay has frequently been to the performances.

Mrs. Ogden Mills never goes to the opera without her twin daughters, and she always carries a soft pillow which she places on the rail of the box for an arm rest. This pillow is a subject of conversation among the women, for it is never covered twice with the same colored slip. Sometimes it is of a design to match her gown, sometimes a contrast to it, and frequently of a shade to harmonize with one of the Misses Mills' dresses.

There are two box holders who are always losing some of their belongings and keeping the employes after hours to look for them. One at one time had the whole force of men and all her friends searching for a valuable handkerchief that was not discovered after a thorough search of half an hour, and when they had given up in despair she suddenly pulled it from her sleeve and waved it in triumph, to the disgust of the employes, who had had visions of a big tip.

On another occasion there was a real sensation when the other lost her diamond dog collar, and everybody turned out eager to help look for it. One of the ushers finally found it beneath a chair, tucked away in a corner behind some drapery. The owner was profuse in her thanks and handed the man a $2 bill, which he tried to think was at least a $20 until he got into the light.

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CINCINNATI	*1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *6.15 pm *8.45 pm.
LOUISVILLE	*4.50 am *6 pm *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.
COLUMBUS	*1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *12.30 pm *6 pm *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.
TOLEDO AND DETROIT	*11.20 am *8.30 pm.
ERIE	†7.25 am †4.30 pm †6.10 pm.
JAMESTOWN	*8.30 am †7.25 am †12 pm †4.30 pm †6.10 pm.
NEW CASTLE	*6.30 am *7.30 am †7.25 am *8.30 am †12 pm *1.30 pm †4.30 pm *6.30 pm †10.35 pm †6.10 pm.
ASHTABULA	*8.30 am †4.30 pm.
YOUNGSTOWN	*7.30 am *8.30 am *1.30 pm †4.30 pm.
AKRON	*8.15 am †5.40 am *7.30 am *8 am *6 pm *11 pm.
BARBERTON	†5.40 am *7.30 am *8 am.
WHEELING	*6.30 am *8.20 am †11.30 am †8.32 pm *1 pm.
MERCER and OIL CITY	†7.25 am †4.30 pm.
BELLAIRE	†5.40 am †8.05 am †1 pm †8.32 pm †7.26 am †5.10 pm.
ALLIANCE	†4.30 am *8 am *7.25 pm †8.32 pm *6 pm.
WASHINGTON, PA.,	†4 am †9 am †9.45 am †1.30 pm *6 pm †4.10 pm †6.06 pm †8.15 pm †10.30 pm †7.30 am †5.15 pm †9.20 pm.
STEUBENVILLE	(Pan-Handle Route) *5.40 am †8.32 am †2.20 pm †4.20 pm *11 pm †11.35 am. (C. & P. Div.) †5.40 am †8.06 am †1 pm †4.02 pm †5.05 pm †7.35 am †5.10 pm.

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Schedule in Effect June 25, 1905.

Central Time.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago, Toledo & Detroit	*7:15 am	*3:35 pm
Cleveland "Flyer"	*7:15 am	6:30 pm
Cleveland & Youngstown Ex.	*8:15 am	3:00 pm
Buffalo Limited	*9:00 am	*3:00 pm
Cleveland, Toledo & Detroit	*12:35 pm	*8:35 pm
Cleveland and Chautauqua	*9:00 am	*12:15 pm
Buffalo & Eastern Express	†12:35 pm	†6:30 pm
Lake Chautauqua Fast Line	*12:35 pm	*6:30 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	5:00 pm	*10:50 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex.	2:20 pm	*12:15 pm
Boston Special	*5:00 pm	*6:35 am
Cleveland & Detroit "Flyer"	*6:15 pm	*11:15 am
Chicago Limited	*6:15 pm	*6:25 am
Buffalo Express	*10:00 pm	*6:35 am
Cleveland Night Express	*11:00 pm	*6:35 am
Youngstown Local	†5:30 am	*9:00 am
Beaver Falls Local	†6:45 am	†5:35 am
Beaver Falls Local	†5:15 pm	*9:00 am
Beaver Falls Local	†3:20 pm	*12:10 pm
New Castle Local	†11:55 am	†4:16 pm
New Castle Express	†4:20 pm	†7:30 pm
New Castle Express	†9:30 am	†1:10 pm
Beaver Falls Express	†5:25 pm	†6:50 am
Beaver Valley Local	†9:00 pm	†6:45 am
Brownsville Local	†5:30 am	†7:00 am
Brownsville & N. Haven Ex.	*5:00 am	*8:20 am
McKeesport & Brownsville	†11:30 am	†11:40 am
Brownsville & New Haven	*3:30 pm	*4:50 pm
Brownsville Express	*5:30 pm	*6:05 pm
Brownsville Express	†10:30 pm	†1:50 pm

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Central Time—*Daily	Depart	Arrive
Toledo, St. L., Kansas City	*6:00 am	8:30 pm
Wheeling Express	*7:00 am	7:55 pm
St. L., Chicago, Kansas City	*6:30 pm	7:25 am

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

(No. 207.)

AN ORDINANCE—To authorize the proper officers, for and in behalf of the city of Allegheny to advertise for bids for furnishing the several departments of the city who have no appropriations all printing, books, blank forms and stationery for the fiscal year 1906-1907, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the proper officers of the said city be and they are hereby authorized and empowered in the name and on behalf of the city of Allegheny, to advertise for bids for furnishing the several departments of the city, who have no appropriations, all printing, books, blank forms and stationery for the fiscal year 1906-1907, and award the contract, thereof, according to the provisions of the acts of assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost of the same to be paid out of item No. 1, appropriation No. 3, printing.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 15th day of February A. D. 1906.

JOHN T. BEALOR,
President Pro Tem. of Select Council.
Attest:
LAFAYETTE WILLIS, City Clerk.

SAMUEL McELROY,
President of Common Council.
ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., February 16th, A. D. 1906. The above ordinance examined and approved.
JAMES G. WYMAN, Mayor.

PAY TRIBUTE TO PENNSYLVANIAN

House and Senate Adjourn Out of Respect for Congressman Castor.

PURE FOOD BILL DISCUSSED

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The senate listened for three or four hours today to a discussion of the details of the pure food bill. A number of minor amendments were suggested, but, under the agreement to vote on all amendments tomorrow, none of them could be acted on today.

A long discussion of amendments offered by various senators ensued and was participated in by Messrs. Lodge, Piles, Hemenway, Gallinger, Spooner, Heyburn, McCumber and others, Mr. Hemenway and Mr. Piles appearing for the first time in debate in the senate. Mr. Hemenway spoke at considerable length in support of an amendment offered by himself for the regulation of the purity of drugs. He found it difficult to get away from the forms of the house of representatives, and more than once referred to Mr. Heyburn as "the gentleman from Idaho." At last he apologized for speaking of "a senator as a gentleman." Mr. Heyburn replied, with a smile, that the apology was worse than the offense.

Mr. Spooner expressed the opinion that if the bill should become a law as it stands the addition of a thousand chemists to the force in the agricultural department would be necessary, but Mr. McCumber replied that no additions whatever would be necessary.

At 4 p. m. the senate went into executive session, but the doors were reopened a few minutes later to permit the senate to receive the official announcement of the death of Representative Castor of Pennsylvania. After this announcement was made, Messrs. Penrose, Knox, Carter and Clay were designated to attend the funeral, and the senate adjourned as a mark of respect.

The house of representatives today took an immediate adjournment out of respect to the memory of Representative Castor after the passage of appropriate resolutions and the appointment of a funeral committee. The announcement of the death of Mr. Castor was made by Mr. Adams, his colleague from Philadelphia, who presented the resolutions. Upon their adoption Speaker Cannon announced the following committee to join a senate committee and attend the funeral in Philadelphia Friday: Bingham, Adams, Morrell, McCreary, Moon, Kline and Deemer of Philadelphia; Smyser, Ohio; Reeves and Wilson, Illinois; Weisse, Wisconsin; Kelliher, Massachusetts, and Jones, Virginia.

SOTHERN AND MARLOWE AS "ROMEO AND JULIET"

Players Make a Beautiful Production of This Old Love Tragedy of the Bard.

In a revival of this beautiful and poetic tragedy of Old Verona Mr. Sothern and Miss Marlowe met a very general and complimentary request from their Pittsburgh admirers. It will be remembered that this play was in their repertoire last season. Last night at the Nixon was illustrated how finely the genius of acting thrives upon its use. Both the Romeo of Mr. Sothern and the Juliet of Miss Marlowe gave evidence of ripeness and maturity, forming now one of the richest, most poetic and artistically satisfying portrayals of these familiar parts that the American stage has had in many years. Miss Marlowe's Juliet especially has gained new (or rather, its old) poise, beauty and tenderness. Not any longer able to perfectly body forth to the eye the Verona maiden of 14 years, Miss Marlowe yet adds a gentle grace of spirit and poesy and of heroic tragedy and love that more than atone for the absence of the merely visual. The balcony scene was full of the tense and eloquent passion of fair Italy. The potion scene bore in its fatal shadowing of coming ill the deepest notes of sincerity.

Mr. Lewis' Mercutio is one of the finest our native stage has had. Its spirit and attitude sets forth the roystering fellow, the wit and friend with admirable effect. The Friar Laurence of Mr. Harris was another well-played role, as indeed were all the characters, a thing unusual in this day of starring. The production is rich, full and satisfying and an overflowing audience paid the players and the play the tribute of many enthusiastic curtain calls.

Tonight, first performance by these stars in Pittsburgh of "Twelfth Night."

General and Family Murdered.

ASKABAD, RUSSIA, Feb. 20.—During the bairam feast Gen. Dschuravik and all the members of his household were murdered. The crime is supposed to have been one of personal vengeance.

THE THREE RIVERS

CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—River 16.3 feet and falling. Departures were—Henry M. Stanley for Pomeroy and Charleston; Courier for Maysville, and City of Louisville for Louisville.

LOUISVILLE—River stationary; in canal, 4.2 feet; on falls, 2 feet; below locks, 8.8 feet.

OIL CITY—River 4 feet 4 inches and stationary. Cloudy and mild.

MORGANTOWN—River 7 feet and stationary. Cloudy and warmer.

GREENSBORO—River 7 feet 2 inches and stationary. Fair and warmer.

WARREN—River 1 foot 6 inches. Fair and mild.

POINT PLEASANT—River 4 feet 7 inches and falling. Up—Samuel Clark and Henry Lowery. Down—J. T. Hatfield.

MARIETTA—River 4 feet 6 inches and stationary.

GALLIPOLIS—River 5 feet 10 inches and falling.

STEUBENVILLE—River 4 feet 8 inches and rising.

PARKERSBURG—River 6.3 feet and stationary. The French left for Creston.

WHEELING—River 5 feet 1 inch and rising. Departed—Royal and Clairington.

CONDITIONS MORE FAVORABLE

Rise in Rivers Generally Expected by Last of Week.

Conditions were more favorable for a rise in the rivers yesterday than they have been for some time, and the packet companies believe the boats will resume navigation by the end of the week. This will be of no assistance to the coal people, however, as there will have to be an enormous rise before they are able to get any boats out of the harbor. Several large tows are being prepared and will be ready when the rise comes.

The pool boats were generally inactive yesterday, most of the crews taking part in the election.

All of the ice has left the Allegheny and but few light gorges are reported in the Ohio.

Local rivermen are interested in the attempt to get the steamer City of Louisville from a corn field near Evansville. The boat is one of the largest on the Ohio and was thrown up in the field during the high water.

Taking Out a Fortune.

Pittsburgh stockholders in the Keystone-Nevada Mining Company, whose properties are located at Olinghouse, Nev., are jubilant over a big strike of ore worth more than $7,000 per ton which has just been made in their mine. The size of the vein may be imagined when it is stated the first seven sacks were filled in 15 minutes, and as this ore is worth nearly $4 a pound, the amount of the output per 24 hours can be easily estimated. The Keystone-Nevada property is evidently a bonanza of bonanzas.

The engineer in charge of the operations in a recent report gives the company positive assurance that they have a great mine, there being not only one large ore body in sight, but several of them carrying high-grade values, and the area of the ground owned by the company is five and a half times as large as Tonopah Extension, with true fissure veins traversing all of it.

The directors of the Keystone-Nevada company, it is said, is considering the advisability of increasing the price of the stock or withdrawing it entirely from the market.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

BALTIMORE & OHIO DENIES DISCRIMINATIONS

Statement from Second Vice President Is Read in United States Senate.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The reply of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad to the statements recently made in the senate on behalf of the Red Rock Fuel Company of West Virginia, was presented in the senate today by Mr. Rayner. In presenting the matter, Mr. Rayner was very careful to say that he did so by request, adding that he assumed no responsibility in the matter. The document was signed by Hugh S. Bond, Jr., second vice president of the Baltimore & Ohio.

The statement was of considerable length. Mr. Bond says that when the fuel company purchased its mines, which are in Upshur county, W. Va., it knew that the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company had informed its predecessors that the company could not afford railroad facilities until it could enlarge its equipment, but that the fuel company immediately notified the railroad company that the Red Rock company would at once locate a coal tipple 4,000 feet from the railroad and demand that the Baltimore & Ohio permit it to make a physical connection with the new track and furnish cars at the tipple for the shipment of coal. He went on to say that the Baltimore & Ohio road at that point, formerly the West Virginia & Pittsburgh, is a single track road and that the proposed point of connection is approximately midway between two stations.

He says further that no coal is hauled over the line between Weston and Buckhannon with which the Red Rock Company seeks connection, and no rates for coal in carloads have even been made or published from or over that line.

OLD VOLCANO CAUSES COLLAPSE OF MOUNTAIN

PALERMO, Feb. 20.—(Copyright Cable.)—Mount Sara, near Cattolico-Eraclea, collapsed today, and continuous subterranean noises are heard. It is believed that an old volcano, thought to be extinct, has again become active and the populace is panic-stricken.

Strike Oil in Center of Town.

WASHINGTON, PA., Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Excitement was caused in Cross Creek, this county, when a 100-barrel oil well was drilled in on a lot in the center of the town. Prices of real estate advanced several hundred per cent in a few hours and oil companies' agents are endeavoring to gobble up all the territory in sight. Interest was increased when a 50-barrel well was struck just outside the borough limits.

THE BUYER AND RENTER

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BOLD, W. J., Pittsburgh.
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BROWN, HOWARD, of Howard Brown & Bro., Pittsburgh.
BROWN, VET L., of Vet L. Brown & Starrett Co., Pittsburgh.
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BUGGIE, F. S., with George Bros., Pittsburgh.
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COUCH, GEORGE B., Colfax Imp. Co., Springdale, Pa.
COX, JAMES, Homestead, Pa.
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DICKSON, ALFRED, Pittsburgh.
DIXON, CHARLES H., Real Estate Trust Co., Pittsburgh.
DONALD, W. V., Wilkinsburg.
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KELLY SAMUEL, of Kelly-Wood Co., East End.
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KOLBY, F. P., Allegheny.
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METER, EDWARD, with P. J. Edwards, Pittsburgh.
NICKEL, HENRY W., with Land Trust Co., Pittsburgh.
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ORR, A. E., Verner Realty Co., Pittsburgh.
OTT, A. W., Hilltop, Pittsburgh.
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PATTON, JOHN, Hilltop, Pittsburgh.
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Frame house of 7 rooms, hall, bath, gases, cabinet mantels, porches; lot 25x100; near street cars and schools; price reduced to $3,300 for a quick sale.
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$8,500—Wilkinsburg's best residence neighborhood; new solid brick rec. hall house, 11 rooms, tile bath, cement cellar, laundry, water heater, furnace, piped for steam, brass and nickel plumbing, fine cabinet mantels, hardwood floors and finish, handsome chandeliers, decorated throughout, cement walks; one of the most complete houses in the market; lot 35x120.
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FOR SALE.
Idlewild st., Belmar Plan, Pittsburgh.
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ONLY $2,000 CASH REQUIRED.
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Western ave., best part of street, 10-room brick; fine bath, laundry, furnace, front porch, etc. Possession at once. Don't miss this.
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MANUFACTURING PLANT
Located in this city on line of Railroad, having a continuous and connected lot of buildings of two, three and four-story brick building. Two elevators; floor space, 35,000 feet; lot 253 ft. front by 125.
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CHEAP LOTS—In Brushton on Fargo street, 25x75, $350 and $400 each; $10 down, $6.00 per month; these lots are a stone's throw from Center View plan where lots are selling at three times as much; come and see for yourself.
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EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS.
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50 acres on Verona street car line, short distance from Wilkinsburg, that will make you a fortune in 5 years.
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SNAP NO. 11.

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ROOMING HOUSE—Very swell; finest location in Allegheny; 16 rooms, all filled with select people; rent only $75; good money maker; actually worth $1,200, but on account of owner going in other business out of city, can be bought for $600. Act quick, and see
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QUICKLY SOLD for cash through our agency; real estate exchanged for stocks of merchandise; improved for unimproved real estate, etc.; if you want to make quick deal without publicity, call or write
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ROOMING HOUSE—10 rooms completely furnished, in good location in Allegheny; rent $45 per month; if sold by March 1 will be sacrificed for.....$400
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In Pennsylvania county seat city of 22,000 people; this house contains 50 rooms, all nicely furnished; receipts last year were $22,000; business clears $3,500 to $4,000 a year; price for entire furnishment, lease and good will, $6,000.
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SALOON—Located in good Ohio town; doing a business of $27 per day; stock of liquors will invoice $800; clearing above all expenses, $300 per month; rent only $40 per month, including 6 living rooms. PRICE.....$1,500
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Copies of the original drawings of these great inventions can be had, as follows: No. I. for $100; No. II., $150; No. III., $200; and No. IV., $300. All buyers of these drawings are entitled to manufacture said furnaces and machines and patent them, but in the United States only.
The whole concern, with rights in all other countries, will be surrendered to the highest bidder, $125,000 being the minimum.
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SHOE STORE—One of the best locations in the city, doing a business of $1,000 per month, established 15 years by the present proprietor, nice store room, 5 living rooms, rent $50, will invoice over $6,000; owner wishes to retire and will sell at invoice, or.....$4,000
THE HOOD REALTY CO.,
5th floor, Fidelity Building, 341 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—Grocery Story—Best grocery store in the city, will invoice $3,000. This is a bargain. No dead stock; everything up-to-date. See me quick.
W. J. BOYD,
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WE make a specialty of selling stores, saloons and hotels and business opportunities of all kinds; business strictly confidential; communicate with us if you are thinking of buying or selling.
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1 steel building 26x175.
1 32x32"x8' heavy iron planer.
1 48x48"x19' heavy iron planer, two heads.
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1 36" Streit pulley hub facer.
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1 14"x12' hollow spindle screw cutting lathe.
1 18"x6' 4" hollow spindle screw cutting lathe.
1 25" punch and shear, 5x1 inches.
Also air compressors, air hoists, boilers, engines, feed water heaters, etc.
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GAS AND STEAM ENGINES in all sizes and for all purposes. We make a specialty of private lighting and pumping outfits; also complete power equipment for general purposes.
Call and see our special electric gas engine in operation under full load. Send for our second-hand list.
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FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 3 to 125 H. P., stationary and portable upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock; shafting, pulleys and hangers and large lot miscellaneous machinery, second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
JOHN S. YOUNG,
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FOOS GAS ENGINES.
Strictly high grade for all power purposes; over 250 in use in Allegheny county.
FOOS GAS ENGINE CO.,
133 First ave.

GAS ENGINE. GASOLINE.
Marine and Stationary. Any type.
THE FAIRBANKS COMPANY, 316 24 ave.

FOR SALE—A six-foot double truss cornice brake; in perfect condition; cheap. P. E. Harris, Salem, O.

GAS ENGINES—New and second-hand. Have us do your repairing. Briggs Machinery Company, 238 Second ave.

Household Effects.

FURNITURE FOR SALE.
Furnishing of six-room house for sale by private family; all in good condition, including carpets, chairs, kitchen equipment, bedroom suites, etc. Very reasonable to cash purchaser; a rare opportunity; any article may be bought separately if desired. No second-hand dealers need apply. Call at new house on Rolla st., corner Buena Vista, three squares down from Perrysville ave., Allegheny.

Automobiles.

THE Homewood Automobile Co., located at 7256-62 Kelly st., wish to inform the public that they have received their new demonstrating car, the air-cooled Frayer-Miller, and are ready to give demonstrations by appointment.
This car can always be seen after 5 o'clock in the evening and on Sundays.
We have also a lot of second-hand cars which we will sell very cheap to make room for new cars.
Among these are two Elmoras, three Olds, two Wintons, one Pope-Tribune, one Richards, one Reo, almost new.

Musical Instruments.

FOR SALE—A new $50 phonograph with clear sound box, latest morning-glory horn (large size), 900 needles and 2 doz. of latest records, $1 size, best grade, amounting to $75. Will sell for less than half. Call or write H. W. Sulzner, 614 Whitney ave., Wilkinsburg.

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FINE black horse, weight about 1,500; will make good time with medium heavy load and will go all day. May be had for trial. McCarney's, 4902 Forbes st.

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INCUBATORS as good as new, Cornell, 360 egg and Von Culin 720 egg capacity, both 1905 pattern. Lock Box 24, Yardley, Pa.

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MOVING; safes almost given away. W. FRAGER, 116 Market st.

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FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE—Pool and billiard tables, second hand, $40 up. 1606 Beaver ave., Allegheny.

BAR FIXTURES, billiard tables; easiest terms. DELP'S, Fourth and Liberty.

LEGAL NOTICES.

UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S SALE—Western district of Pennsylvania. By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the United States district court for the western district of Pennsylvania, on the fourteenth day of February, 1906, notice is hereby given that I will sell by public auction, for cash, on Wednesday, the 28th day of February, 1906, at 11 o'clock a. m., at the office of the United States marshal, Pittsburgh, Pa., room 303, Postoffice building, the steamer "Columbia," her engines, boilers, machinery, boats, tackle, apparel, appurtenances and furniture, as she now lies moored at the Pittsburgh wharf. Stephen P. Stone, United States Marshal, United States marshal's office, Pittsburgh, Pa., February 14, 1906.

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EIGHT PER CENT MONEY CHECKED RISE IN STOCKS

In Most Cases the Early Gains Were Wiped Out. Strength of Reading Construed as Meaning No Hard Coal Strike.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

For nearly four hours yesterday the New York stock market ruled firm under the leadership of a few specialties. In the last hour the rates for call loans advanced to 8 per cent. The immediate effect was to check the advance, and the subsequent liquidation wiped out nearly all the previous gains. The close was irregular, with most stocks showing small net losses. The sales for the day foot up 1,177,000 shares.

At the opening some buying by London gave the market a firm tone. This was followed by a moderate advance. Reading, which was the most active stock, sold off a point in the early dealings from 136 to 135. Later in the day it made a strong rally and on large transactions advanced to 140½, closing at 139¾, a net gain for the day of 3¼ per cent. The strength of the stock was construed as foreshadowing a peaceful settlement between the anthracite miners and the operators, and during the day a rumor was current that an agreement had been reached which would avert a strike.

The other coal stocks were rather heavy, which was ascribed to the decision of the United States supreme court on Monday in the case of the interstate commerce commission vs. the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad, involving discrimination in freight rates on the transportation of coal produced by the company. This decision received much attention in railroad and financial circles, and interviews were published with officials of various railroads which own or control extensive coal properties tending to show that the scope of the decision would not interfere with the production and transportation of coal as at present conducted. The net changes in the coalers were small. Chesapeake & Ohio closed ¼ and Ontario & Western ⅝ lower than on Monday. Norfolk & Western closed ⅛ higher, Baltimore & Ohio and Erie each ⅛ higher, and Pennsylvania unchanged.

All of the high-grade railroad stocks advanced sharply in the early dealings, only to lose their gains and close lower for the day. Great Northern preferred opened at 335½, declined to 334, rallied to 337¼ and closed at 333, a net decline of ⅛ per cent. Northern Pacific opened at 227, declined to 226, rallied to 228¾ and broke to 224½, the final sale at 224½ representing a loss of ½ per cent. Northwestern opened at 233¾ and closed at 230¾, a loss of 3¾ per cent. New York Central and Union Pacific each closed ½ lower and St. Paul ⅝ lower.

United States Steel common was the most active of the Industrials, and at one time advanced a point to 42¾, but the final sale at 41⅞ showed a net gain for the day of only ⅛ per cent. The preferred rose to 107⅞, but closed unchanged at 106¾. Colorado Fuel and Iron ranged between 63¾ and 66, closing unchanged at 64. American Locomotive and American Car and Foundry closed fractionally higher. The other members of this group were unchanged.

Amalgamated Copper opened at 111¾ and advanced to 112¾, but it subsequently sold off to 110⅞ and closed at 111, a net loss of ⅛ per cent. Anaconda Copper closed 3 per cent lower. United Copper at one time sold as high as 74 in the curb market.

The range for call loans was between 4 and 8 per cent, with 5½ per cent bid at the close. There was no explanation for the stringency other than the fact that brokers have been providing themselves with time loans in anticipation of higher rates next month; but if this policy is generally pursued it should eventually reduce the demand for call money and result in lower rates for the latter. Another source of demand is the syndicates which have underwritten the new securities recently floated. In addition to this the percentage of reserve of the New York banks is unusually low for this time of year, and with a continuance of activity in general business the demand from this source competes with the demand from Wall street tending to raise the general average of rates for both call and time loans.

There were no sessions of the Pittsburgh or Philadelphia stock exchanges yesterday, and no public transactions in stocks quoted in those markets.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The Pittsburgh stock exchange being closed yesterday, there was no business transacted in local listed stocks, but there was a fair amount of trading in unlisted mining shares. Sales of Cable Lease were reported at $5.75 a share, and that price was bid for lots aggregating 1,000 shares. Ohio Tonopah sold at 56 cents a share. There was some demand for Tonopah Extension, and Pittsburgh was said to be a buyer of the stock in New York at prices ranging from $11 to $11.50 a share. Denver Bullfrog advanced on the local curb to $1.40 bid, and Jim Butler, which sold on Monday at $1.05 to $1.10, was quoted at $1.32 bid, $1.50 asked. No local sales of United Copper were reported. In the Boston market the stock advanced to 74, a rise of 5 per cent, but it closed in that market at 70¾ bid, 71 asked. Sales of North Butte in the Boston market amounted to 1,910 shares at 86 to 86½, the closing quotation being 85¾ bid.

Commenting upon the activity in mining stocks in this market, a member of the Pittsburgh stock exchange remarked yesterday: "It is beginning to assume the proportions of a craze, but it can never become the menace which speculation in local bank and trust company shares became five years ago. The reason is that transactions in mining shares are on a cash basis. No one who buys expects to carry the stock on margin, and brokers do not put any of these stocks up as security for loans. Of course there are going to be disappointments for buyers of many of these stocks, and no doubt persons are speculating in them who cannot afford to lose money; but there is one thing certain, when they buy they know the limit of their loss, whereas, when they buy any of the high-priced stocks on margin, they go into debt to their banker or their broker. It was the contingent liability involved in speculation in bank and trust company stocks a few years ago which did the damage."

A circular signed by President F. W. Bacorn was mailed to stockholders of the Cable Lease Mining Company last night setting forth the results of the negotiations which have been concluded for the sale of the property of the enterprise. Mr. George I. Whitney and his associates have incorporated the Cable Consolidated Mining Company under the laws of Maine with a capital of $2,500,000 shares of the par value of $1 each. The officers and directors are: F. W. Bacorn, president; H. L. W. Hyde, Stansbury Sutton, treasurer; Joshua Rhodes, Jr., E. F. Buchanan, H. H. Robinson, secretary, and H. C. Bacorn. Application will be made to list the stock on the Pittsburgh stock exchange. Mr. Whitney and his associates own 95 per cent of the property now under lease to the Cable Lease Mining Company, and has arranged to turn over to the Cable Consolidated Mining Company this property together with $150,000 in cash to be used by the new company as a working capital and reserve, in consideration for the issue to him of 1,500,000 shares of the new company. He has deposited in the Fort Pitt National Bank 1,000,000 shares of the new company to be exchanged for stock of the Cable Lease Company at the rate of five shares for each share of Cable Lease. Stockholders of the latter are also given the privilege of participating in a subscription for stock in the new company on or before March 1 on the following terms: With each share of the Cable Lease stock and $2 in cash, 12½ shares of the new stock will be issued. Each Cable Lease stockholder may participate to the full number of shares owned by him, or to a less extent, or he may simply exchange each share of his Cable Lease for five shares of the new stock. The entire amount necessary to carry out the plan has been subscribed and it is optional with Cable Lease stockholders whether they participate in the underwriting or not.

The Wall street flurry in call loans to 8 per cent was due to the shifting of accounts incident to the payment of subscriptions to the $20,000,000 of New York city bonds held last week. The example of the sensitiveness of the money market and future payments of a similar character in prospect on other bonds subscriptions were not relished by the speculative element.

Reading was the feature of the day in Wall street and its furious activity caused by the enormous blocks absorbed on the advance overshadowed the whole market. In spite of this congestion of activity in Reading and to a less extent in a few other prominent stocks the volume of the dealings contracted considerably. The yielding tendency of the market during the first hour in which Reading fully shared was due in large part to the deductions drawn by speculative operators from the decision of the supreme court against the Chesapeake & Ohio in the matter of transportation charges for coal sold for its own account. It was inferred that the present status of the anthracite companies would bring them within the scope of the decision, with wide reaching effect on the business of the combined anthracite companies. This opinion was modified upon closer study of the decision by the court and clauses were found even to be interpreted as giving legal sanction to the present conditions of operating in the anthracite trade.

"The reason for the reduced price at which New York city bonds have been lately selling is not quite so simple as a good many theorists would have us think. Dread of 'municipal ownership,' with the heavy drafts on the city's credit which the experiment would involve, has doubtless played its part in causing the increase of not far from 1 per cent since 100 in the net interest rate exacted from the city. But comparison of certain other public securities with the prices of 100 brings results almost as noteworthy. Thus that part of the United States 4 per cents were selling 5 points above last week's quotations, British consols 13 points higher. Philadelphia's bonds were quoted then almost on a 2¾ per cent basis; their present valuation brings 3 1-2 per cent to the investor. Within the same interval, the investment yield on Boston's bonds has risen ⅝ per cent. All these are merely signs of a general tendency. Since 1900, in other words, the rate for money, in the broadest sense, has risen; increase in the supply of securities has kept pace with increased supply of capital, and has occasionally outstripped it. Capital therefore asks a higher return on its investment, and, in securities of the non-speculative grade, it gets it."—New York Evening Post.

Wall street is evidently preparing itself for a firmer call loan market than usually experienced at this season. One commission house sent this message to Pittsburgh yesterday: "The money situation, although it may be temporarily forgotten, is still the dominant factor in the market. It is difficult to see where funds are to come from in the next six weeks to support any active bull speculation." Another broker expressed this opinion: "The financial community will have to accustom itself to the idea that we are not going to have any very low rates for money this year. In other words, we are not going to have 2 per cent money for a very considerable period, unless we get absolute stagnation in the stock market. On the other hand we are not likely to have any sharp advance in call rates for some time to come, except under conditions similar to those of today."

The Bell Telephone Company of Philadelphia has increased its capital of $14,000,000 to a total of $20,000,000.

A seat on the New York stock exchange yesterday sold for $90,000, a decline of $3,000. A seat in the Boston stock exchange sold for $25,000.

The Federal Mining and Smelting Company has declared the regular quarterly dividends of 1¾ and 1½ per cent on the preferred and common stocks respectively, and an extra dividend of 2½ per cent on its common stock, all payable March 15.

The Calumet & Hecla Mining Company has declared a quarterly dividend of $15, payable March 23.

Gross earnings of Allegheny Valley for December increased $55,584 and net increased $71,213. For the year 1905 gross earnings increased $1,088,527 and net increased $923,093.

Gross earnings of the Southern Railway for the second week in February increased $228,774.

Pig Iron Quotations.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—(Special.)—Pig iron quotations at the 11 o'clock call on the Produce exchange:

	Regular. Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.
February	16 15	....	....	16 75
March	16 15	16 75	16 25	....
April	16 15	16 75	16 35	16 75
May	16 15	16 75	16 55	16 85
June	16 15	16 75	....	17 00

Market quiet.

Turpentine and Rosin.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 20.—Spirits turpentine firm, 65c. Rosin firm, $3.75; receipts, 1,040 barrels. Tar firm, $1.50; receipts, 223 barrels. Crude turpentine firm, $2.80, $4.50 and $4.50; receipts, 99 barrels.

SAVANNAH, GA., Feb. 20.—Turpentine firm, 69c. Rosin firm; stocks, 65,479 barrels; quote, A, B, C, D, E, F and G, $4.75; H, $4.25; I, $4.55; K, $5.20; M, $5.45; T, $5.90; WG, $6.10; WW, $6.20.

COMPLETE RECORD OF NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices, reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co. 410 Wood street, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade:

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Bids.
7800	Atch., T. & S. F.	90¼	90½	89¾	89¾
	Do preferred	105	105	105½	105½
2300	Am. Cotton Oil	34¾	34¾	34¼	34¼
2500	Am. Sugar Ref.	143¾	143¾	140¾	140¾
2300	Am. Locomotive	73	73¾	72¾	72¾
4500	Am. Car Foundry	43¾	44¾	43½	43¾
91900	Amal. Copper	111¾	112¾	110¾	111
61900	Anaconda Copper	286	288½	283	283
23300	Am. Sm. & Ref.	163¼	163¾	162¼	163
400	Do preferred	124	124¾	124	124¾
	Amer. Woolen	42	45¼	45¼	45¼
	Do preferred	109	109	109	109
7300	Balt. & Ohio	110	110¾	110	110¼
2900	Do preferred				
	Brook. Rap. Tran.	80½	83¾	80¼	81
7200	Can. Pacific	172¾	173¾	172½	173¾
2100	Central Leather	43¾	43¾	43¼	43¾
400	Do preferred	105¼	105¼	105¾	105¾
1600	Chicago & G. W.	20¾	21¼	20½	21
600	Consolidated Gas.	176½	177¾	176½	177¼
8700	Ches. & Ohio	58¾	57¾	56¾	56¾
500	Chicago & Alton				
2400	Chicago & N. W.	233¾	233¾	230¾	230¾
23100	Col. Fuel & Iron	64½	66¼	63¾	64
800	Corn Product	17¾	18	17¾	18
100	Do preferred	104¾	104¾	104¾	104¾
2100	Col. Southern	32¾	34¼	32¾	34¼
900	Do 1st pfd.	72¾	73¾	72¾	73¾
900	Do 2d pfd.	51	52¼	51	52¼
1200	Del. & Hudson	211	214	211	214
20600	Erie	43¾	44¾	43¾	43¾
800	Do 1st pfd.	78	78¾	78	78¾
3100	Do 2d pfd.	70¾	71	70	70¾
300	Gen. Electric	171½	172¼	171½	172¼
400	Illinois Central	173¾	173¾	173¾	173¾
400	Iowa Central	33	33¼	32	32
200	Do preferred				
500	Inter. Paper	22½	22¾	22	22
200	Do preferred				
3400	Louis. & Nash.	148	148¾	147¼	147¼
3000	Mo. Pacific	100¼	101¼	100¼	100¼
1900	Mo., Kan. & T.	34½	34¾	34¼	34¾
1600	Metropolitan	117¾	118¾	117¾	117¾
1800	Do Securities	69½	70¾	69½	70
7500	Mex. Central	24¼	24¾	24¼	24¾
4600	National Lead	58	61¾	58	58¾
	Do preferred	105	106¼	105	105¾
	National Biscuit	65¼	65¾	64¾	64¾
	N. Y. Airbrake	153½	156¾	153½	155¾
5500	N. Y. Central	149	149¾	148¼	148¾
	N. J. Central	217	217	217	217
8200	N. Y. C. & St. L.	57¾	58¼	56¾	56¾
1200	Norfolk & West.	67¾	68¼	67¾	68¼
900	North Am. Co.	100¾	101½	100¾	101
59000	Northern Pacific	227	228¾	224½	224½
1200	Peoples Gas	98¼	99	98¼	98¼
200	Pacific Mail	46¾	46¾	46½	46½
1600	Pressed Steel Car.	60	61	59¾	59¾
500	Do preferred	101	101	101	101
22000	Penna. R. R.	133	140¾	133¾	139¾
301700	Reading	136	140½	135	139¾
700	Do 1st preferred				
2000	Rock Island	25¾	26	25¾	26
200	Do preferred	64¾	65¾	64¾	64¾
800	Republic Iron	33	33	32¾	32¾
600	Do preferred	105½	105¾	105¼	105¼
11600	Southern Pacific	66	66¾	65½	65¾
143800	Southern Railway	35¾	39¼	34¾	38¾
400	Do preferred	104¾	105¼	95¾	99¾
	St. Paul	180	181¼	179	179¾
700	St. Louis & S. W.	28¾	29¼	28¾	29¼
1200	Do preferred	56¾	57¾	56¾	56¾
800	Tenn. Coal & Iron	156	156¾	156	156
2400	Texas & Pac.	34¾	34¾	34¼	34¾
200	T. St. L. & W.	36½	36¾	36½	36¾
400	Do preferred	56¾	56¾	56¼	56¼
107700	U. S. Steel	41¾	42¾	41¾	41¾
29300	Do preferred	106¾	107¼	106¾	106¾
	Do 2d 5% bonds	92	99½	99	99½
13500	Union Pacific	153¾	154¾	151¾	151¾
1700	U. S. Rubber	60	59¾	59	59
500	Do preferred				
	U. S. C. I. Pipe	47	48¼	47	47¼
	Do preferred	92½	92¾	92½	92¾
1100	Wabash	22¾	23¾	22¾	23¾
500	Do preferred	46	46¾	46	46¾
300	Western Union	83¾	83¾	93¾	93¾
	W. & L. E. 1st pf.	46	46¼	46	46¼
800	Wisconsin Cent.	28	28¾	28	28¾
100	Chi. Pneumatic	89½	89½	89½	89½
	Fed. M. & S.	189¾	189¾	189¾	189¾
	Do preferred	106	107½	106	107½
1300	Sloss	84½	85¼	84	84½
4600	Am. Dist. Corp.	54	55¼	54	54¾
1500	Va. & Car. Chem.	47¼	48¾	47¼	48¼

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100	Am. Steel Fdrys.	....	12¾	12¾	12¾
1600	Do preferred	....	48¾	47½	48
100	Am. Grass & T.	....	9	9	9
	Am. H. & L. pfd.	....	40	38¾	39
100	Am. Malt pfd.	....	26¾	26¾	26¾
1000	Am. Tob. pf. new.	....	104½	104¼	104½
100	Am. Linseed	....	23¼	23¼	23¼
7500	Am. Wool	....	46½	46½	45½
200	Do preferred	....	109	109	109
300	Atl. Coast Line	....	181	180½	180½
30000	Chicago Un. Trac.	....	13¾	12¾	13
2000	Do preferred	....	46¾	46½	46
1100	Chicago T. Tr.	....	15	14	14½
900	Colo. Southern	....	33	32¾	32¾
700	Chicago C. H. & D.	....	21¾	20¾	21
300	Detroit Un. Ry.	....	101	101	101
8700	Great Nor. pfd.	....	337½	332	333
100	Kan. & Michigan.	....	54	54	54
200	Kan. City & So.	....	31¾	31¾	31¾
700	Knickerbocker Ice	....	64¾	64¾	63½
400	M., S.P. & S.S.M.	....	152½	150¾	152½

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	Met. Securities	....	70¾	69¾	70
300	Minn. & St.	....	75¾	75½	75¾
1700	N. Y. Air Brake	....	139¾	138	139¾
100	Pgh. Coal pfd.	....	57	57	57
200	Sld. & M. I. 1st pf.	....	66	66	66
	Do 2d	....	37	37	37
900	Sloss	....	85¾	84¾	84½
500	Third Avenue	....	122	121½	121¾
	Va. Car—Chemical	....	48¾	47¾	48
700	Am. Beet Sugar	....	27	26	26
2400	Den. & Rio G.	....	46¾	46½	46
600	Allis Chalmers	....	29	27¾	27¾
100	Do preferred	....	61¾	61¾	61¾
700	Va. Ir., C. & C.	....	49¾	48	49¾

1,177,000, total sales.

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10 Erie cv 4s A...103½
5 do...104¼
8 Erie G M 1s 4s...82¾
9 Jap 6s...100½
9 Jap 4½s...91½
7 do...91¼
20 do...91½
2 Jap 2nd 4½s...90½
41 Lack Steel 5s...101¾
5 L & N 4s...103½
20 Mex Cen con 4s...81
21 M K & T 2nds...85¾
4 N Y C deb 4s...101½
12 N Y C 6½s...98¾
8 N Y C L S 3½s...89¼
14 do...89
20 do...87
15 Nor Pac 4s...105
15 O S L 6s...122¾
31 O S L fdg 4s...95¾
18 Pa cv 3½s...102
9 Pa 5½s 1915...107¾
8 Rdg G M 4s...101¾
5 St L & S F fdg...86¾
20 do...87
85 St L S W con 4s 81
40 So Pac ref 4s...96¾
40 U P 4s...104¾
7 do...104¾
25 U S S P 5s...93
7 do...92
2 do...92
5 do...92
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5 Wab deb A...30
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TWO BIG SALES IN EAST LIBERTY

Mrs. Nettie Frauenheim Buys 6005 and E. J. and J. G. Vilsack 6017 Penn Avenue.

LARGE FARM PURCHASE

East Liberty was treated to another real estate sensation yesterday when James B. Lawler of the East End Savings and Trust Company sold for Grant McCargo his properties at 6005 and 6017 Penn avenue for $35,000 and $065,000 respectively. Mrs. Nettie M. Frauenheim is the buyer of the first and E. J. and J. G. Vilsack will take title to the second property. Each lot measures 25x145 feet, extending through to Kirkwood street. No. 6005 is two doors east of Highland avenue, and is improved with a two-story frame building, which is being remodeled for the use of the May Drug Company, which recently rented it for a long term of years. No. 6017 is improved with a modern three-story brick building covering the entire lot. This building is valued at $25,000, the first floor being occupied by Woolworth's 5 and 10 cent store and the upper floors as offices.

Both properties were taken as an investment, and the prominence of the buyers in the local realty market is one of the best indications that East Liberty business property is on a much higher price level—and there to stay—than it has ever been before. Mrs. Frauenheim's purchase is at the rate of $3,800 a front foot, or $26 21 a square foot, and the Vilsack purchase is at the rate of $4,900 a front foot, or $25 a square foot. This difference in price is easily accounted for by the difference in the buildings, one of which has a large renting value. These two sales make a total of over $500,000 worth of East End business property which has changed hands since last Friday, one sale of $35,000 having been made yesterday which was not announced.

Another Big Farm Sale.

Through the agency of Baird & Fife the 102-acre farm of the Sirtickler De Muth heirs, in Upper St. Clair township, has been sold to William A. Hadley and F. J. Wagner of Bellevue, Vinton S. Weaver of Moundsville, W. Va., and R. J. Hadley of Crafton. The property is close to the John A. Fife farm of 87 acres, which was brought Monday by the Westbury Land Company for $85,000. It is on the proposed Canonsburg, Washington and Pittsburgh street car line which, when completed, will open up some of the most beautiful country around Pittsburgh. By this road the property will be only 40 minutes from Pittsburgh and is in the heart of a district which is admirably adapted to large country home sites. The farm has a long frontage on a cross road. It is improved with modern buildings and has a large number of fruit trees. The buyers are arranging to plot it into lots of from one to five acres, to be sold for high-class suburban home sites.

John Goettmann's Big Purchase.

John Goettman is the buyer of the Grant McCargo lot, 75x145 feet, on the north side of Penn avenue, between Beatty and Whitfield streets, the sale of which was announced yesterday. It will be recalled that Mr. Goettman was one of the earliest investors in the new Penn avenue district, and that he recently sold the property at Penn avenue and St. Clair street to John J. Mabold for $160,000. His purchase of the McCargo lot shows that he has abundant faith in the district where the rapid enhancement in prices is apparently justified by the steady movement of business westward toward Negley avenue, and by the number and kind of buildings that are scheduled for early erection. This deal was made by George B. Kelly through the Kelly-Wood Real Estate Company.

The Independent Brewing Company of New Kensington will build a large addition from plans by Architect F. C. Sauer.

The Peoples' Bank of McKeesport has selected Architects Mowbray and Uffinger of New York to design the bank and office building to be erected in Fifth avenue, that city.

Architect C. M. Bartberger will take bids March 1 for the five-story bakery building of Bauer Brothers in Ellsworth avenue, Shadyside.

Plans are being prepared by Architects W. C. Richards and Company of Braddock, for the Swedish Evangelical Lutheran church to be erected in that place.

East End Properties Sold.

Through the Real Estate Trust Company Thomas Reilly has bought from the estate of A. E. Jones 200x125 feet, on the south side of Ellsworth avenue, between College avenue and Spahr street, for $25,000. The lot will be improved with a costly residence.

The same company sold for William A. Longsay to H. K. Snyder 50x150 feet on the north side of Beacon street, for $11,500. A large two-story and mansard brick house on the lot will be occupied by the purchaser as a home.

The Real Estate Trust Company also announced these sales: For Lewis J. Selezuik of New York, to James H. Wallace, 1658 Penn avenue, an improved lot, 18x50 feet, for $2,000; for Mrs. Emma A. Doherty to Harry Levitt, 212 Dinwiddie street, a brick and stone house on 20x100 feet, for $6,500; for Albert Badertscher to Henry C. Burns, an improved lot, 21x65 feet, on the east side of Charles street for $2,900; for James G. B. McAuley to W. E. Ross, 62x115 feet on the south side of Wabash avenue, Allegheny, for $2,600; for Catharine G. Bailey to Jonathan Hogg, an improved lot 15x58 feet, on the north side of Stewart street, Allegheny, for $1,075.

J. A. Young and Company have sold for Mrs. Miranda Smith to James A. Murphy of Murphy and Hamilton, 252 St. Clair street, a nine-room brick house on 30x102.5 feet, for $10,000.

Brisk Selling in Bellevue.

There is no let up in the activity in Bellevue property and with the coming of warmer weather the boom of last year bids fair to be outclassed by the buying movement which is in prospect. Nine properties, valued at $66,500, have been sold this month through the office of Ira D. Harper, all of them being in Bellevue and practically all of them having been bought for homes by the better class of investors. For D. C. Wills Mr. Harper sold to George P. Luther, the caterer, 50 feet of frontage in Lincoln avenue, adjoining the Masonic hall, for $10,000, or $200 a front foot, as the site for a store building; for Samuel Diffenderfer to Mrs. Eliza Dawson, a stone house in Forest avenue, for $7,000; to Mrs. R. L. Wilson, a brick house in Straw avenue for $9,000, and to P. G. Jenks a brick residence in the same street for $8,500; for Harry S. Harley to Mary L. Minnick a cottage in Sherman avenue for $4,000; for Mrs. Sarah Snyder to Harry S. Grubbs at cottage in Preston avenue for $2,500; for Eliza Dawson to Samuel Diffenderfer 180 feet of vacant frontage in Jackman avenue, to be improved with six small houses; for J. M. Grace to Mrs. Samuel Hallet a frame house in Orchard avenue for $5,000; for E. T. Graham to J. W. Vickerman a business property in Hawley avenue for $5,000, as the future home of Suburban Life.

Avey & Irish have made these leases: For the Women's Christian Temperance Union to Mrs. Sarah E. Brown, the brick house at 956 Penn avenue for $1,500 a year; for Harry Davis to A. K. Stevenson, the first floor of 111 Fifth avenue for one year at $720 a year; for the Wabash Pittsburgh Terminal Railroad Company to Pihl & Miller, two offices at 637-639 Wabash station building for one year; to the Silicon Glass Company, two rooms on the sixth floor of the same building for one year, to the International Union of Steam Engineers and to the Pittsburgh Union No. 3 of the National Association of Stationary Engineers, each a lodge room on the ninth floor of the Wabash building.

Moon township: The John K. Ewing Company announces that Edgar V. Hays, cashier of the Union Savings bank, is the buyer of the J. R. Thompson farm of 58 acres in Moon township, Coraopolis Heights, which was sold recently for $5,800.

Oakland: The Aronson Realty Company reports the sale of the Scanlon holdings, four frame houses on 80x90 feet, in Griffith street, Oakland, for $7,000.

The Wool Market.

BOSTON, Feb. 20.—Continued heavy trading in all classes of wools has brought the supply down to limited proportions and hardened prices to correspond. A number of the larger mills have been buying during the past few days, and the general feeling in the trade is hopeful. Territory wools and fleeces are said to be practically cleaned up, and the opinion is that prices in these lines, if not for all grades, are as low as they will be this season. The finer grades of pulled wool continue in fine demand. The grades are being constantly broken the only way to get 60@—Ohio and Pennsylvania XX and above, 34½@35½c; X, 33@34c; No. 1, 38@39c; No. 2, 38@40c; fine unwashed, 25@28½c; quarter-blood, unwashed, 32@32½c; three-eighths-blood, 32@34c; half-blood, 33@33½c; unwashed delaine, 28@29c; fine washed delaine, 37@37½c. Michigan—Fine unwashed, 24@25c; quarter-blood, unwashed, 31½@32c; three-eighths-blood, 32@33½c; half-blood, 32½@33c; unwashed delaine, 27@28c. Kentucky, Indiana, etc.—Three-eighths and quarter-blood, 32@33c. Territory—Idaho fine, 22@23c; heavy fine, 19@20c; fine medium, 22@23c; medium, 26@27c; low medium, 27@28c; Wyoming fine, 22@23c; heavy fine, 19@20c; fine medium, 22@23c; medium, 26@27c; low medium, 27@28c; Utah and Nevada fine, 23@24c; heavy fine, 19@20c; fine medium, 23@24c; medium, 26@27c; low medium, 27@28c. Dakota fine, 22@23c; fine medium, 22@23c; medium, 28c; low medium, 27@28c. Montana—Fine choice, 25@26c; fine average, 24@25c; fine medium choice, 25@26c; average, 24@25c; staple, 27@28c; medium choice, 27@28c.

The Whisky Market.

CNICINNATI, Feb. 20.—Whisky, $1.28.

FRESH EGG MARKET HAS DOWNWARD TENDENCY

No Changes in Quotations During the Day, but a Weaker Feeling Is Evident.

While there were no changes in quotations on eggs yesterday the market continues weak. It is slowly drifting downward, and supplies of fresh gathered are coming forward freely. It was reported yesterday that some speculative buying had been done in fresh gathered eggs, but this is not thought to be so as any one wishing to buy this class of goods could get supplies of any size among the local merchants. There are several hundred cases of eggs on the boats which were forced to tie up before reaching Pittsburgh, and these are in danger of becoming a total loss.

There was no change in the butter market yesterday. Receipts of fresh creamery continue light, and sellers are able to maintain the recent advance of one half a cent without any trouble whatever. Prices are considered quite high enough, but if the shortage of fresh stock continues there is no doubt they will go some higher. Medium to choice grades are crowding much closer to the best grades than they have for some time.

The recent firm market for celery continues. The choice grades of California crate stock are selling at prices higher than the outside quotation, and good prices are also being obtained for dozens.

A steady market is also reported for cabbage, especially for German seed. Red is entirely off the market, but a small quantity of savoy remains.

Fine quality apples are bringing good prices and the market is generally considered firm. Strawberries are in light supply and the demand is just fair.

The potato market has not reached the standard set for it in the fall, and is considered weak even at the present quotations. Several months ago it was predicted the ruling price would be $1 and perhaps higher during the winter.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts.

Receipts bulletined yesterday were: Pennsylvania, 8 cars hay, 7 cars corn, 6 cars oats, 2 cars straw, 1 car rye; Baltimore & Ohio, 1 car oats; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 2 cars oats, 4 cars corn, 2 cars straw, 12 cars hay.

There was little change in the market yesterday. There is no activity among buyers, and consequently the market is not very firm. Receipts were just fair. The demand for No. 1 timothy hay continues good. There were few changes in quotations.

No. 1 timothy ....$13.00@13.25	No. 1 white middlings ...$21.50@22.00
No. 2 .....$11.25@11.75	No. 2 middlings ....$21.25@21.75
No. 1 clover..$9.50@10.00	do brown..$19.50@20.00
No. 2 clover...$8.50@9.00	Bran, ton....$20.00@20.50
No. 1 mixed.$10.00@10.50	Wheat, No. 1 red, new, at mill..$0.93@83c
No. 2 mixed...$9.00@9.50	Corn, No. 2 yellow, shelled .....46½@47c
Straw, oat....$7.00@7.50	New high mixed ear ....48@49c
do wheat....$7.00@7.50	New yellow ear .....49½@50½c
do rye....$8.75@9.00	No. 2 Michigan rye .....73@74c
No. 1 white oats .....35½@35¾c	
No. 2 white oats .....34½@34¾c	
No. 4 oats...33¾@34¼c	

PROVISIONS.

Hams.	Breakfast bacon,
18 lbs and up.....11¼c	back strips 11¼c
Over 14 to 18 lbs....11c	Dry salt sides, extra
Over 10 to 14 lbs....11¼c	short clears 9¾c
10 lbs and under..11¼c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. 9c
Skinned 11¾c	do 16 to 20 lbs....9¼c
Boneless boiled.....18c	do under 16 lbs...9¼c
California 8¼c	Dry salt smoked sides, extra
Shoulders, N. Y. cut 8¾c	short clears 9¾c
do skinned 9¼c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. 10c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs....12c	do 16 to 20 lbs...10¼c
do 10 to 12 lbs....11¾c	do under 16 lbs...10¼c
do back strips...10¾c	Lard, pure, tierces.8¼c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs. 12¼c	
do 10 to 12 lbs...11¾c	

NUTS.

New California walnuts 17c	English walnuts, lb. .....13@13c
Chestnuts, Italian .....7@8c	Butternuts ....$1.25@1.50
Hickory nuts, bu. .....$1.75@2.00	Hazelnuts, lb....11@12c
Walnuts, bu.....50@75c	Almonds, lb..14@15c
	Peanuts, lb .....11@12c
	Shellbarks .....$2.00@2.25

DRIED FRUITS.

Raisins, 1-lb pkgs. .....5@5½c	Evap. apricots, 25-lb box, choice..10@11½c
Evap. peaches, 25-lb box, lb. ....10@12½c	do fancy .....11@12c
Evap. apples, 1-lb pkg...7½@7¾c	Cleaned currants, 1-lb pkgs ....8½@9c
	Prunes, Cal., lb..5@10c

GROCERIES.

Flour.	do cubes 4.95c
Fancy spg. Minn. pat. .....$4.65@4.70	do coffee A.....4.80c
Kansas pat..$4.65@4.70	do No. 1 yellow...4.85c
Fancy winter patent ....$4.25@4.30	do No. 2 yellow...4.80c
Rye .....$3.00@3.90	Beans.
Buckwheat ..$2.50@3.00	Navy, choice, H. P. ....$1.80@1.90
Graham, 10-lb bags .....$2.30@2.50	Red kidney....$3.25@3.30
Cornmeal, bags .....$3.15@3.25	Cal. lima, lb.....6@6½c
Rolled oats, bbl....$5.30	Pears, dried, bu. .....$1.30@1.35
do kegs $2.75	do split, ...4½c
Roasted Coffee.	do marrowfat, bu. .....$1.75@1.85
Rio .....13@15½c	Oil, carbon, 110 deg. 12c
Santos .....20¼@24½c	do water white....15c
Maracaibo ....16@16½c	do Ohio W. W. 150 deg 12½c
Peaberry 15½c	do Elaine 15c
Golden Rio.....15½c	Miners' oil, special brands .....26@48c
Caracas .....20@21½c	Rice, ex-fancy head, lb.....6¼@7c
Standard, pkgs...14.95c	do fancy Japan .....4¾@6c
High grade..18½@19½c	do choice, Carolina .....5½@6c
Molasses, fancy, refined .....25@26c	Salt, No. 1 bbl....$1.10
do choice .....31@34c	do No. 1 extra....$1.20
do open ket....37@39c	do gran. rock.....95c
do 2-lb 95c	do pocket....$1.65@2.10
do 3-lb .....$1.35@1.65	do G. F. $1.40
Fancy, syrup ...28@30c	Lentils, fancy, "6-O," lb....4½@5½c
Maple sugar, gal. $1.06	Sauerkraut, 40-gal cask.$7.50@8.00
Sug. and cane...21@35c	do 15-gal keg.$3.50@3.75
2-lb cans, doz...80c	do bbls. ....$8.50@8.00
5-lb cans, doz...$1.70	Honey, combed, w. c. fancy, lb. ....17@18c
10-lb cans, doz...$3.40	do choice ....15@16c
Maple, gal....75c@$1.00	do buckwheat...15@16c
Sugar, sta. gran...4.70c	
do bags 4.70c	
do 2-lb carton....4.85c	
do 5-lb bags....4.85c	
Powd'xxxx...4.80c	
Stand. pow'd 4.80c	
do cut loaf block.4.95c	

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie...$1.05	Raspberries .....85@95c
do pie, gal.$2.50@3.00	Gooseberries ....85@90c
do California, L. C.....$1.90@2.05	Tomatoes, fancy .....$1.10@1.30
do California, Y. F.....$1.90@2.25	do standard..$1.05@1.10
Corn, fancy..$1.10@1.20	do gal. $2.50
do stand....80@90c	Succotash, 1-lb. .....$1.10@1.25
Cherries, California, white ....$2.50@2.75	Baked beans, cans, tomato sauce.75@95c
Lima beans...$1.25@1.45	Salmon, doz...95c@$2.00
do soaked.....75@90c	do red, 1-lb flats .....95c@$1.00
String beans, 2-lb. .....65@70c	do pink, 1-lb talls .....$1.81@2.10
do 3-lb. .....90@95c	Chipped beef, .$2.25@2.75
Stringless beans .....$1.10@1.60	Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans..$2.80@2.40
Pears, marrowfat .....80@90c	do 1-lb cans.$1.25@1.30
do early June..75@90c	Mackerel, broiled ....$1.90@2.50
do soaked .....65@85c	Sardines, domestic, ¼s.....$2.80@3.00
Plums, California ....$1.40@1.65	do mustards, ¼s...$2.50
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans..$2.50@2.75	do French...$5.50@18.50
Pineapples ...$1.25@2.50	

POULTRY AND GAME.

Chickens .....14@15c	do turkeys .....25@27c
do roosters ....9@10c	Ducks, ruddy $1.25
do turkeys ....18@20c	do red head.$1.70@3.00
do geese.....10@11c	do canvasback .....$2.75@3.00
do ducks .....15@16c	Impt. golden plover,
do pigeons, doz. .....$1.00@1.15	doz. $5.50
Dressed hens....17@18c	do black plover...$4.00
do springers...19@20c	English pheasants,
do roosters ...11@12c	per pair.....$3.25

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, car lots, fancy, bu. .....60@65c	Apples, Fancy, bbl...$4.50@5.00
Cabbage, G. S., ton .....$23.00@30.00	Choice, bbl..$3.50@4.25
	Onions, bbl....$1.50@1.60
	do bu. .....50@55c
	Cal. celery ...$4.50@4.75

FRUITS.

Apples, bbls, Kings, fancy ....$6.00@6.50	Pineapple, smooth Cayennes ...$4.00@4.50
Other fancy varieties ..$5.00@5.50	Red Spanish...$4.00@4.50
do choice...$3.75@4.25	Limes, per 100 ...$2.00@2.50
do California, box .....$1.75@3.00	Dates, stuffed 18c
Lemons, Messinas, fancy ....$3.00@3.50	Figs, California, box .....95c@$1.00
do choice ..$2.50@2.75	Layer, lb.....10@20c
Oranges, Florida .....$2.50@2.50	Grapes, Malaga, bbl..$5.00@5.50
California ...$2.50@3.50	do fancy ...$6.00@7.00
Cocoanuts, bags .....$3.25@3.50	Grape fruit, Florida ...$5.00@6.00
do doz. .....45@50c	Tangerine straps .....$4.00@5.00
Bananas 1sts,$1.50@3.00	
do 2ds.....$1.00@1.50	

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	do Imported...27@27½c
Prints .....31@31½c	do Limburger, new ...13½@14c
Tubs .....30@30½c	do 5-lb. brick, new .....14½@15c
Ohio cream...29@30c	do Neufchatel, large box...90c@$1.00
Dairy .....24½@25½c	do Shefford, box...85c
Cooking .....21@22c	Eggs, selected ..17@18c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream, new.14½@15c	do strictly nearby fresh .....19@20c
Ohio full crm..14½@15c	do southern ....16@17c
do ¾ cream..13@13½c	do storage .....9@10c
do Picnics....15@15½c	
do Wis. Swiss, tubs .....15@15½c	
do block.....15@15½c	

HIDES.

Heavy green salt steers, over 60 lbs.12c	Bulls, No. 1, over 60 lbs. 10c
Light steers No. 1.13½c	Calf, green salt, No. 2 .....11c
Cows, all weights.12¼c	do No. 1.....13c

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Cotton—Futures closed quiet and steady. Closing bids: February, 19.39c; March, 10.46c; April, 10.55c; May, 10.67c; June, 10.75c; July, 10.83c; August, 10.72c; September, 10.38c; October, 10.28c; November, 10.39c; December, 10.33c. Spot closed quiet, 10 points lower; middling uplands, 11.00c; middling gulf, 11.25c. Sales, 26 bales. The market opened easy at a decline of 2@5 points, and inside of the first 15 minutes increased the loss to a matter of 14@15 points on the active months under heavy stop-loss selling and local bear pressure. March touched 10.40c and May 10.60c, or 38@39 points down from the high level of last week and 9@11 points below the previous low level of February 6. At the decline there was a good deal of covering by local and European shorts, and the market rallied 7 to 8 points during the middle of the morning, being assisted by trade demand. New Orleans was relatively steady, but with houses with south-ern connections were heavy sellers here early today. The market at midday was less active, with prices about 6 to 7 points net lower. Liquidation seemed pretty well over for the time being, but local sentiment was unsettled, and there was still some selling for southern account. Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands, 11.05c; middling gulf, 11.30c. Estimated receipts at the ports today, 28,000 bales, against 32,718 last week and 23,978 last year. For the week, 120,000 bales, against 125,002 last week and 115,-338 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 8,340 bales, against 7,176 last year, and at Houston 13,339 bales, against 5,372 last year.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 20.—Spot—Moderate business done; prices, 6 points lower; American middling fair, 6.32d; good middling, 5.95d; middling, 5.82d; low middling, 5.56d; good ordinary, 5.48d; ordinary, 5.32d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, and included 6,700 American. Receipts, 22,000 bales, including 1,000 American. Futures opened easier and closed quiet and steady; American middling, g. o. c., February, 5.65d; February and March, 5.65d; March and April, 5.66d; April and May, 5.69d; May and June, 5.72d; June and July, 5.74d; July and August, 5.76d; August and September, 5.72d; September and October, 5.59d; October and November, 5.36d; November and December, 5.54d.

	Open	High	Low	Close
February	....	....	....	10.39
March	10.50	10.50	10.40	10.46
April	*10.55	....	....	10.55
May	10.68	10.69	10.60	10.67
June	....	....	....	10.73
July	10.82	10.86	10.74	10.82
August	*10.67	10.75	10.68	10.72
September	*10.41	10.41	10.40	10.28
October	10.21	10.21	10.26	10.28
November	*10.32	10.36	10.30	10.30
December	*10.35	10.36	10.30	10.33

Visible Grain Supply.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Special cable and telegraphic communications received by Bradstreets today show the following changes in available supplies as compared with last account: Wheat, United States and Canada, east of Rockies, decreased 902,000 bushels; afloat for and in Europe, increased 2,780,000 bushels; total supply increased 1,878,000 bushels. Corn, United States and Canada, east of Rockies, decreased 143,000 bushels. Oats, United States and Canada, east of Rockies, decreased 886,000 bushels. The leading decreases reported this week are: 179,000 bushels in Manitoba, 114,000 bushels at Ogdensburg, and 50,000 bushels at Port Huron. Stocks held in the Chicago private elevators increased 87,000 bushels.

Philadelphia Company Gets Only Fair Producer in Wetzel County

Owing to election day many of the oil offices were closed, the pipe line offices and purchasing agency suspending business for the day. Reports from the field were light, and contained nothing of a sensational nature. On Long Drain run, Church district, Wetzel county, the Philadelphia company has completed and shot its second fourth sand test on the William N. Teagarden farm, and has a producer good for 25 barrels a day. While it may be regarded as a fair producer, it does not compare favorably with No. 1 on the same farm, which started at better than 250 barrels a day. The completion of the No. 2 Teagarden well makes the third fourth sand producer in that locality. Aside from the two on the Teagarden, the Hope Natural Gas Company has a light pumper to the south on the Stoneking farm. On Rock Camp run, Sardis district, Harrison county, Judge Nathan Goff has completed and shot No. 45 on his own farm, and has a show for a 10-barrel pumper in the Gordon.

In the Yellow Creek district, on the Little Kanawha river, Calhoun county, the South Penn Oil Company has completed a second test on the E. A. Silcott farm and has a show for a 40-barrel producer in the Bera grit. This location is 2,500 feet southeast of the first test drilled on this farm. In the Burning Springs district, Wirt county, William C. Edwards & Co. have drilled their No. 62 on the Rathbone oil tract, through the second Cow Run sand and have a light pumper at a depth of 670 feet. On Point Pleasant creek, Ellsworth district, Tyler county, the Southern Oil Company's test on the R. A. Workman farm is holding up at 180 barrels a day. The way this well is maintaining its production leads to the conclusion that it has considerable oil producing territory back of it. The Southern company has made several new locations in the vicinity of the good producer. Other operators have driven stakes for test wells, and the district promises to show marked activity in the near future. In Marshall county there are two important test wells drilling. On Upper Bowman creek, Meade district, the Star Oil and Natural Gas Company is down 1,400 feet at a test on the Mary L. Boylan farm. On Little Grave creek, Liberty district, E. E. Jennings & Bros. are down 400 feet at a second test on the Goshorn farm. On McIntyre creek, Sardis district, Harrison county, Griffin & Co. are due in the sand at a test on the John Henderson farm.

On Fish creek, Aleppo township, Greene county, Pa., the Peoples Natural Gas Company has completed a test on the J. M. Monginger farm and has a light gasser in the Big Injun sand. On Wheeling creek, in the same township, Ross & Dunn are due in the sand at their No. 6 on the Chris Grim farm. In the same locality the same parties have the rig completed for a test on the William Finch farm. On Ten Mile creek, Washington township, Ross & Dunn are due in the Big Injun at a test on the John Casey farm.

In the Wallace district, Harrison county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 5 on the Henry Talkington farm into the top of the Gordon, and has shut down to move back the boiler. In the Folsom district, Wetzel county, the same company has drilled its No. 55 on the Genine Robinson tract into the top of the Gordon and has found no oil or gas. In the Smithfield district the same company's No. 75 on the B. W. Peterson farm is drilling in the Gordon and has developed no oil or gas.

On the Ohio side, in the Wolf Creek district, Washington county, Faut & Ashberry have completed a test on the J. D. Ross farm and have a duster in the Cow Run sand. In the same district the Tecumseh Oil and Gas Company has completed No. 24 on the Ruth A. Chapman farm and has a 5-barrel pumper. The Pure Oil Producing Company has completed No. 24 on the E. H. Palmer farm and has a 10-barrel pumper. The same company's No. 5 J. B. Breckenridge is good for 5 barrels a day. North of Homeworth, Columbiana county, Zeigler & Co. have drilled in No. 4 on the Bandy heirs' farm and has a show for a 100-barrel producer. This location is 400 feet north of No. 3 on the same farm.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.	RUNS.
February 18-19. 92,620	February 17-18.. 52,979
Previously 1,153,635	Previously 949,347
Total 1,256,305	Total 1,002,326
Daily average.. 64,542	Daily average... 55,819

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.	RUNS.
February 18-19. 108,926	February 17-18.. 39,563
Previously 1,177,462	Previously 617,163
Total 1,286,388	Total 656,726
Daily average.. 67,704	Daily average... 36,697

The Oil Market.

The following are the quotations for credit balances in the different fields: Pennsylvania, $1.58; Tiona, 9c 61; Second Sand, 97 85; Shelby, $1.18; Corning, $1 10; New Castle, $1 93; North Lima, 94c; South Lima, 82c; Indiana, 86c; Somerset, 85c; Raglan, 66c; Corsicana, 91c. The Producers and Refiners' Company quotes $1.58 for Pennsylvania oil.

OIL CITY, Feb. 20.—Credit balances, $158. Shipments, 67,906 barrels; average, 64,436 barrels. Runs, 10,634 barrels; average, 65,448 barrels. Shipments, Lima, 71,666 barrels; average 69,199 barrels. Runs, Lima, 5,688 barrels; average, 36,690 barrels.

TOLEDO, Feb. 20.—North Lima, 94c; South Lima and Indiana, 89c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS.

Tuesday, February 20, 1906.

Cattle—Supply light and market steady; choice 1,400 to 1,600 lbs, $5 50@5 75; prime, 1,200 to 1,400 lbs, $5 20@5 40; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs, $5 00@5 20; tidy, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs, $4 60@4 90; fair, 900 to 1,100 lbs, $4 10@4 50; common, 700 to 900 lbs, $3 50@4 00; good to choice heifers, $4 00@4 40; common to fair heifers, $2 50@3 75; common to good fat cows, $2 00@3 00; common to good fat bulls, $3 00@3 40; veal calves, $8 00@8 50; heavy and thin, $4 00@5 00.

Hogs—Receipts, 10 double decks with market steady; prime heavy mediums and heavy Yorkers, $6 50; light Yorkers, $6 40@6 45; pigs, $6 35@6 40; roughs, $5 00@5 60; stags, $3 00@4 25.

Sheep and Lambs—Supply light and market slow; veal calves, $8 00@8 25; heavy and thin, $4 00@5 00; prime wethers, 95 to 100 lbs, $5 75@6 00; good mixed, $5 to 90 lbs, $5 40@5 65; fair, 75 to 90 lbs, $4 85@5 25; common, $2 50@3 50; lambs, $5 00@7 40; veal calves, $8 00@8 50; heavy and thin, $4 00@5 00.

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[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 15,000 head, including 200 head southerns; market steady; choice and dressed beef steers, $5 25@6 00; fed and to good, $4 00@5 15; western fed steers, $3 50@5 00; stockers and feeders, $3 00@4 80; southern steers, $3 75@4 90; southern cows, $2 25@3 75; native cows, $2 25@4 35; native heifers, $3 25@4 90; bulls, $2 60@4 00; calves, $3 00@7 50. Hogs—Receipts, 15,000 head; market opened steady, closed weak; top, 5½ 22½; bulk of sales, $6 05@6 17½; heavy, $6 15@6 22½; packers, $6 12@6 20; pigs and light, $5 80@6 12½. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000 head; market, sheep steady; lambs 10c lower; native lambs, $5 60@6 90; western lambs, $5 50@6 80; ewes and yearlings, $4 50@5 80; western fed yearlings, $5 60@6 10; western fed sheep, $4 25@5 75; stockers and feeders, $3 25@4 75.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Beeves—Receipts, 718 head, all consigned direct except two cars; no trade in live cattle, feeling steady. Dressed beef in moderate demand, at 6@8½c a pound. Exports today, 850 cattle, 1,076 sheep and 4,100 quarters of beef; tomorrow, 2,800 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 96 head; veals barely steady, no barnyard calves; ordinary to prime veals, $8 00@9 25, little calves nominal; dressed calves slow at 8½@15½c a pound for city dressed veals, and 8@11½c for country dressed. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,914 head; dressed lambs, sellers holding for steady prices; prime state lambs sold at 12c; culls, $6 50. Hogs—Receipts, 4,272 head; market steady; good medium state hogs, $6 70; car of light Kentucky pigs sold late Monday at $6 10.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,000 head; market slow; prices steady. Common to prime steers, $3 50@6 30; cows, $3 10@4 60; heifers, $2 50@5 00; bulls, $2 00@4 25; calves, $3 00@6 25; stockers and feeders, $2 50@4 65. Hogs—Receipts, 25,000 head; market weak, prices shade lower. Choice to prime heavy, $6 25@6 30; medium to good heavy, $6 20@6 25; butcher weights, $6 25@6 30; good to choice heavy mixed, $6 20@6 25; packing, $5 75@6 25. Sheep—Receipts, 25,000 head; market, sheep steady; lambs slow and lower. Sheep, $4 00@6 00; yearlings, $5 50@6 60; lambs, $6 40@7 25.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 20.—Hogs, generally higher; butchers and shippers, $6 57½@6 40; common, $5 15@6 15. Cattle steady; fair to good shippers, $4 50@5 25; common, $2 00@2 75. Sheep steady, $3 00@5 25. Lambs steady, $4 00@7 60.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve, shows: Available cash balances, $149,151,989; gold coin and bullion, $74,224,043; gold certificates, $44,-751,660; silver coin and bullion, $15,738,882; silver certificates, $5,264,508; United States notes, $10,006,418; treasury notes of 1890, $28,222; national bank notes, $12,677,214; total receipts this month, $34,302,289; total receipts this year, $351,952,244; total expenditures this month, $39,-029,000; total expenditures this year, $383,531,572.

WHEAT MARKET WEAK FROM THE OPENING

Weather and Foreign Conditions Give Bears Full Swing in the Pit.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Mild weather in the United States and an official report showing an increased wheat acreage in France caused a slump in the local wheat market today. At the close wheat for May delivery was off ⅝@¾c. Corn was down ⅛@¾c. Oats showed a loss of ⅛@¼c. Provisions were 7½c to 17½c lower.

The wheat market was weak from the opening. The initial quotations showed May down ⅛@¾c, at 82⅝@82½c, and before the end of the first hour had dropped to 81¾c. The principal cause of the decline was the French crop report which showed that 16,081,000 acres had been seeded to wheat against 16,632,000 acres last year. The failure of the Liverpool market to respond to the advance of yesterday here, and the continued mild weather in the United States both contributed to the weakness.

As trading progressed, additional news of a bearish character was received, the chief of which was a report from India that rain had fallen in several provinces. The world's visible supply as shown by Bradstreets increased 1,750,000 bushels, against a decrease of 79,000 bushels for the corresponding time one year ago. Total primary receipts of United States for today were 458,000 bushels, against 369,000 bushels one year ago. Around 82c for May, there seemed to be an almost unlimited number of buying orders. Some of these were the result of damage reports from Missouri, but the larger part was in the nature of coverings by shorts. Prices rallied somewhat late in the day, but the close was weak with May at 82⅝@82½c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 216,000 bushels. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 347 cars against 395 cars last week, and 260 cars one year ago.

Wet weather in the middle west caused active buying of corn by commission houses early in the day, and under this demand the market was steady during the first hour. Later, however, persistent selling by cash houses and pit traders, who were actuated by liberal primary receipts, lower prices for cash corn, and the slump in wheat, caused the market to weaken, and the close was easy. May opened unchanged to a shade lower, at 43¼c to 43⅜@43⅝c, sold up to 43⅝c and then declined to 42¾c. Final quotations were at 43c. Local receipts were 498 cars, with 19 of contract grade.

Because of profit-taking by a number of longs the oats market was weak throughout the day. The break in wheat was the chief depressing influence. May opened a shade to ⅛@¼c lower at 29¾c to 29⅞c, sold between 29½@29⅝c and 30c, and closed at 29¾c. Local receipts were 129 cars.

Provisions were weak on profit-taking by local longs, and the decline in the grain market. Lard and ribs showed less weakness than pork because of active buying by packers. At the close May pork was down 17½c at $15 67½. Lard was off 7½@10c at $8 75. Ribs were 10@12½c lower at $8 12½@8 15.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 19 cars; corn, 326 cars; oats, 100 cars; hogs, 36,000 head.

The board of trade will be closed Thursday, February 22, it being a legal holiday.

The leading futures, as reported by Messrs. Armstrong & Co., Farmers

B. & L. E. IS TO IMPROVE SERVICE

Passenger Trains Between East Pittsburgh and Butler—Club to Discuss Concrete.

GOULD LINE TO OPEN JUNE 1

Passenger train service is to be extended by the Bessemer & Lake Erie railroad over the main line of the road from Butler to Bessemer and East Pittsburgh. This improvement will be made at the time the spring schedule becomes effective, which will likely be some time in May. It will mean a better service for people living within a radius of 40 miles of Pittsburgh who have heretofore had only a "mixed" train service, with long and sometimes uncertain hours. Two passenger trains each way daily, operating on fast schedule, are in contemplation. The service of the Bessemer over the Baltimore & Ohio tracks from Butler to Allegheny will be continued.

It is designed that the new service on the Bessemer's main line shall serve the large district embracing Wilkinsburg, Homestead, Wilmerding and McKeesport. Heretofore these people have had to ride into Pittsburgh on one of the railroads or a traction line and cross over to Allegheny to get a Bessemer train, either for summer excursions or for regular travel to and from points reached by the Bessemer. Under the new service it will be possible for these people to reach the Bessemer train at East Pittsburgh, ride directly to Butler and connect with the trains north on the road from Allegheny, and likewise make connection from the through trains at Butler for the train to East Pittsburgh. It will mean a new passenger service for about 42 miles of the Bessemer road. At present the mixed trains of a passenger coach and freight cars operate only from North Bessemer, eight miles north of Bessemer, to Butler, about 34 miles, for which from 2 hours and 20 minutes to 3 hours and 15 minutes are required. The straight passenger trains will likely make the run of 43 miles in slightly more than an hour.

The morning and afternoon service in each direction will benefit the following line points on the Bessemer & Lake Erie in a direct way and others contiguous to the line indirectly: East Pittsburgh and Bessemer, Mounteville postoffice, North Bessemer, Mcrath, Rural Ridge, Grays Mills, Culmerville, Bartley, Turin, McBride, McCalmont and Butler.

The Bessemer & Lake Erie officers have not proceeded far enough with the proposition to make public details of the schedule.

Progress of Gould in East.

George J. Gould's progress in securing a complete transcontinental line has been rapid in the past few weeks. The Western Maryland link from Cumberland to Cherry Run was formally opened for company service a few days ago, and will be used for freight hauling in a short time. Announcement has been made that the line will not be opened for passenger service until June 1, when through trains from Baltimore to Elkins will be installed. It is reported that an order has been given for Pullman equipment of sleeping and observation-parlor-cafe cars for this service.

Owing to the increase of traffic over the Western Maryland because of the extension of passenger service it is probable a representative of the road will be stationed in Pittsburgh.

Will Interest Railroad Engineers.

The February meeting of the Railway club of Pittsburgh at the Monongahela House Friday evening will be one of the most interesting that has yet been held. The topic, "Reinforced Concrete for Railway Structures," which will be presented by Robert A. Cummings, civil engineer and contractor of this city, will be particularly interesting to the railroad construction officers and engineers of other forms of road and building construction. Mr. Cummings has attained a wide reputation in his use of concrete for construction purposes. Railroad engineers have been invited to be present and take part in a discussion of the subject. Secretary J. D. Conway said yesterday that a large attendance is expected. The names of 20 men are to be proposed for membership in the club.

Castle Shannon Elects Directors.

The annual meeting of stockholders of the Pittsburgh & Castle Shannon Railroad Company was held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the office at 50 Carson street. Francis L. Robbins was re-elected president and the following directors were re-elected to serve for the ensuing year: W. R. Woodford, M. H. Taylor, W. Hamilton Brunt, John A. Bell, F. M. Wallace, A. H. Anderson, J. R. L. Hornberger, F. J. Le Moyne, S. P. Woodside and George W. Schluederberg. No other action was taken. The company leased the road to the Pittsburgh Railways Company for a term of years last year, and the railways company has been operating the line since October 1. In the suit of Mrs. Sibella Kaufman against the Pittsburgh & Castle Shannon company and others to declare the lease void, 50 exceptions have been filed to the court's ruling that the lease was valid.

Mason Well Known to Traffic Men.

Frederick L. Mason, whose death was noted in The Gazette yesterday, was one of the best known men in local traffic circles. He used to be chief clerk to Col. E. H. Utley when the latter was general freight agent of the Allegheny Valley road, and went to the old Carnegie steel interests when Col. Utley was appointed traffic manager of those interests in 1889. He had served in the Carnegie steel traffic department ever since that time. He was prominent in Masonic circles, being a Royal Arch Mason and a member of the Allegheny commandery Knights Templar. Funeral services were held at his home in Ben Avon last evening, and a double funeral for Mr. Mason and for his wife's mother, who died Sunday, will be held at Brownsville this afternoon.

BELLEVUE WOMEN HOLD ELECTION OF THEIR OWN

Equal Rights Association Establishes Polls, and Members and Their Friends Are Instructed in the Use of Regular Ballots.

Just because the laws of the commonwealth deny them the right of franchise made no difference to the women of Bellevue yesterday. They simply turned out and held an election of their own, and while their votes did not count for or against the candidates of the regular parties, the members of the Bellevue Equal Rights association felt they amply demonstrated the gentle sex is fully qualified to handle the ballot.

The "election"—the first ever held in Allegheny county in which women alone participated—was held in the Woman's Christian Temperance building, Lincoln avenue, and the scene around the polling place was in marked contrast to that at any of the regular places in the borough or the two cities. There were no "hangers-on," no "touts" for rival candidates, no profanity, no slopping of tobacco juice about the premises and no odor of bad liquor. On entering the room the voters were warmly welcomed by a pleasant young woman, who after a moment's chat explained the way in which the ballots should be marked, either for a "straight" or "mixed" ticket. Regular ballots, similar to the ones in the three wards of Bellevue, were used; the voters being given ballots for the district in which they reside. A regular booth was provided, to which the voters went to mark their ballots. In the center of the room, guarded carefully by two inspectors and the judge of elections, were the ballot boxes, one for each ward.

And the voting was brisk, too. From the time the polls opened at 2 o'clock in the afternoon until 7:30 those in charge were kept busy looking after the voters. A general invitation had been extended to the women of the borough to participate, and while only 28 votes were cast, the members of the Equal Rights association, under whose auspices the polling place was run, feel well pleased with the result. The tally was overwhelmingly in favor of the Independent ticket, only four votes being cast for the Republicans.

Mrs. Mary Lashley is president of the association, and the judge was Mrs. M. A. Straight, Mrs. Sarah Browne Hunnings and Mrs. Eliza Beno acting as inspectors.

The association stands for female suffrage and the purity of the ballot and the home, as one of the members stated, and the "election" yesterday had as its object practical instruction for the women of the borough in how voting should be carried on. The organization has a membership of about 25, and those who are affiliated with it look forward to the time when they may really participate in elections by casting real votes, instead of merely lending their influence in behalf of the candidates whom they believe should be chosen.

Appointed Assistant to O'Hearne.

An official circular has been issued by Master Mechanic J. E. O'Hearne of the Wabash lines east of Toledo announcing the appointment of M. E. Wells as assistant master mechanic of the lines, with headquarters at Columbia, the shop and yard point near Massillon. Mr. Wells has heretofore been traveling master mechanic of the road, with headquarters in Pittsburgh.

Railroad Notes.

Traveling Passenger Agent Van Dyke of the Denver & Rio Grand at Chicago was in the city.

Traffic Manager W. R. Orr of the National Fire Proofing Company left last night for New York.

General Superintendent McCarthy of the Panhandle was here conferring with General Manager Peck and other officers.

Superintendent of Motive Power E. B. Gilbert of the Bessemer & Lake Erie was here from Greenville conferring with Vice President Utley.

City Passenger Agent Charles Hamilton of the Wabash returned yesterday from a business trip to Maryland and Eastern Pennsylvania points.

The passenger equipment program for 1906 for the Pennsylvania lines west will include 25 coaches and four dining cars in the first order, which has just been awarded.

The estimated increases in earnings and expenses of the Panhandle for January, 1906, as compared with the same month in 1905, according to a statement issued by Secretary Liggett, were: Gross earnings, $361,375; operating expenses, $181,576; net earnings, $179,799.

VOTE BOND ISSUE OF $4,000,000

Kansas Natural Gas Company Presents First Annual Report Showing $52,797.80 Surplus.

2,000,000,000 FEET GAS DAILY

At the annual meeting of the Kansas Natural Gas Company yesterday afternoon it was agreed to issue a new $4,000,000 bond issue to retire a $2,500,000 issue made five years ago, and to wipe out the floating indebtedness of the company. The new bonds will be 15-year second mortgage 6 per cent gold bonds. A sinking fund is to begin in two years to retire the issue at the rate of 10 per cent annually. The company has a first mortgage bond issue of $4,000,000, which will make its full bonded indebtedness $8,000,000.

The Kansas Natural Gas Company, which controls 310,000 acres of gas territory in Kansas and has a daily capacity at this time of 2,000,000,000 cubic feet of gas, began business on April 15, 1904, and the first report ever made to the stockholders was read at yesterday's meeting. It showed the gross earnings to date to be $448,477.29, less $112,201.96 for operating expenses, leaving net income from operations $335,575.24. The interest on bonded and current debts was given as $282,777.44, leaving a balance for surplus of $52,797.80. The earnings were reported to have increased from $11,154.60 in January, 1905, to $112,823.74 in December, 1905.

The company now has 38,239 consumers on its books, and is connecting with Kansas City, Topeka, Leavenworth and other western cities. It is now operating 280 gas wells and 39 oil wells, the latter of which are reported as producing 400 barrels daily.

According to President T. N. Barnsdall's report the company has a 50-mile 16-inch trunk line to Webb City, with 15 miles of 10-inch extensions; a 131-mile 16-inch line to Kansas City and 165-mile line to St. Joseph, Mo.; 25-mile extension to Topeka and other smaller extensions. The directors of the company were re-elected yesterday, as follows: T. N. Barnsdall, James O'Neill, R. M. Snyder, R. A. Long, J. C. McDowell, E. P. Whitcomb, John S. Scully, A. B. Baxter and H. W. Davis.

Crowd Roughly Handles Negro.

At a hearing before Justice Clyde Miller in Homestead yesterday Jess Lewis, a negro driver, was held for court without bail. It is alleged Lewis went to a house to deliver a load of coal Monday, and finding the two girls and their eight-year-old brother alone, grabbed hold of the girls. Their screams brought the mother and several of the neighbors, and the negro was being roughly handled when Officer Rosser arrived and took him to the police station.

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HOMESTEAD BURNS ON CENTENARIAN'S BIRTHDAY

Aged Woman Grieves Over Tragic Death of Grandson and Loss of Home of Her Birth.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BRIDGEPORT, CONN., Feb. 20.—Mrs. Deborah Silliman of Easton, the oldest woman in Connecticut, today on the eve of her 106th birthday, which was to have been celebrated tomorrow with a family gathering, saw the homestead in which she was born and where she was married destroyed by fire, and saw her favorite grandchild, Charles F. Silliman, carried dead from the yard of his house to the home of his brother, Frederick Silliman, where the aged woman resides.

Mr. Silliman died as the result of exhausting work performed in fighting the flames at the head of a hastily organized bucket brigade. The members of his household barely escaped from the house in their night clothes.

The home and its contents, which included many valuable colonial relics, were destroyed. It is thought the town records, which were in two large safes, will be found intact when the safes are opened. The house was more than 200 years old.

Instead of a birthday celebration there will be a funeral in the house tomorrow, and for the first time since she passed the century mark, Mrs. Silliman will not receive the congratulations of her neighbors and friends on her natal day.

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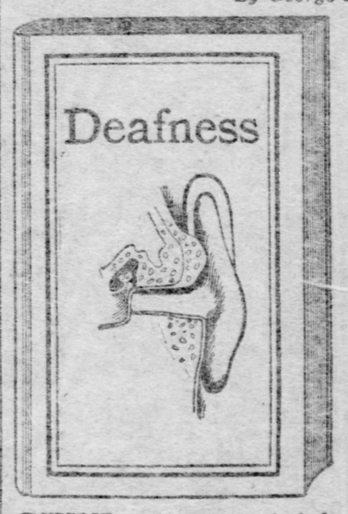

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